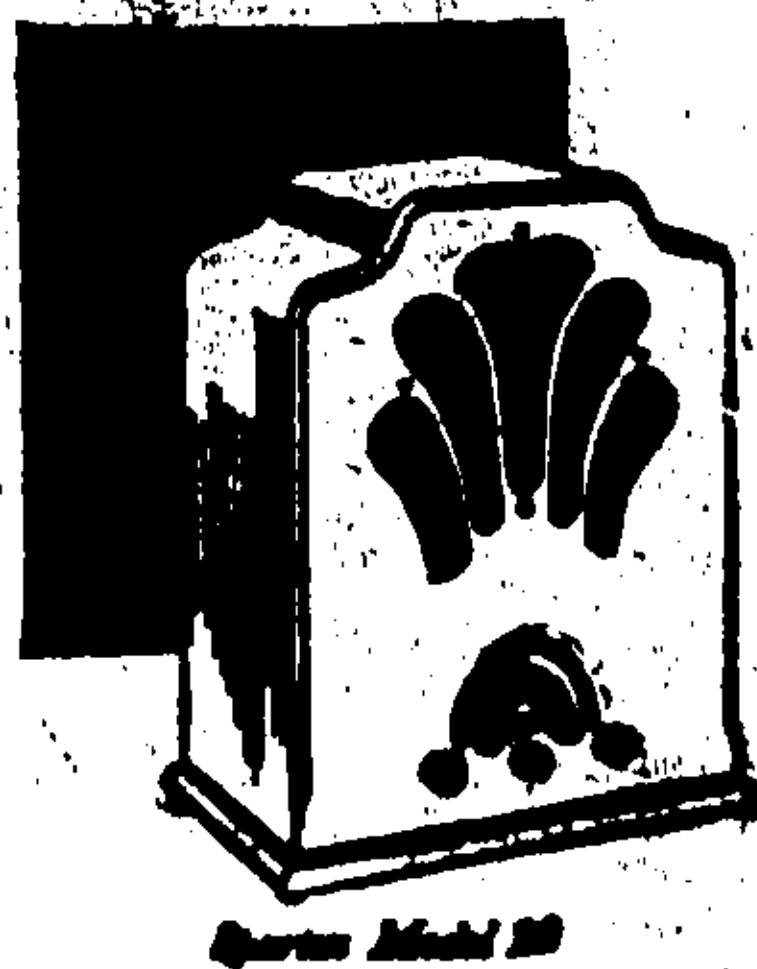




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Wins British Open with
Amazing Score.

HAGEN ECLIPSED.

Arthur Havers'
Opportunity Allowed
to Slide.

Sandwich, Yesterday.

After innumerable efforts to win the British Open Golf Championship Gene Sarazen has at last achieved his ambition. In one of the most interesting struggles witnessed in recent years he returned an aggregate score of 283, two below Walter Hagen's record score of 285 which was returned on the St. Andrew's course in the 1927 competition.

At the end of the third round Sarazen had the amazing figures of 209, the lowest aggregate score ever to be returned in three championship rounds. Taking 74 in his last round Sarazen easily beat Hagen's record aggregate score of 285, which was performed on the St. Andrew's course in 1927. Playing before a gallery of 5,000 during his last round Sarazen was not, however, seen at his best, and had there not been such a large gallery, even more amazing figures might have been returned.

Arthur Havers, the brilliant young Englishman playing before a large gallery which included H.R.H. the Prince of Wales gave rise to British hopes when he broke the course record with a sparkling round for 68. His aggregate score (out) 4, 4, 2, 4, 3, 4, 4, 4, 4, 5, 5 (in) 4, 4, 4, 4, 3, 4, 5, 4, 5, 4. As the result of this round he returned an aggregate score of 213, four strokes behind the American. With Sarazen returning a 74 in his fourth round, Havers required a 69 to win and a 70 to tie with the American. The moment, however, was too big for him and he collapsed badly, returning his worst card—a 76.

The following were the final placings of the leading players:—

Sarazen (U.S.A.)	70+69+70+74	283
Macedonald Smith (U.S.A.)	71+76+71+70	288
Havers (Britain)	74+71+68+76	289
C. Whitcombe (Britain)	71+73+73+75	292
Allies (Britain)	71+71+78+72	292
Padgham (Britain)	76+72+74+70	292
W. L. Hope (Britain)	74+79+75+71	299

STATE OF EMERGENCY IN SHANGHAI.

To Cease on
Monday.

Shanghai, To-day.
The Municipal Council announces that the state of emergency, which was declared on the afternoon of January 28, will cease to exist on the morning of June 18.—Reuter.

NEW SOVIET STATE INTERNAL LOAN.

Fourth Conclusive Year Of
Five Year Plan.

Moscow, To-day.
The front pages of all the newspapers to-day contained the first public announcement of the Central Executive Committee and Council of Commissars calling for a new State Loan, which is named the "State Internal Loan of the fourth conclusive year of the Five Year Plan".—Reuter.

YORKSHIRE COME INTO THEIR OWN

MITCHELL AND BOWES BEAT GLOUCESTER

THRILLING FINISH WITNESSED ON THE
EDGBASTON GROUND.

FIVE BATSMEN REACH 90'S

London, Yesterday.

Yorkshire showed definite signs of a long-awaited improvement when they beat Gloucestershire at Bristol by the large margin of an innings and 95 runs. Lancashire were unable to check the advance of Hampshire though they collected major points at Manchester. Derbyshire received a set-back at the Oval where they fell before Surrey by 199 runs. Northants are maintaining their improved form, Essex being forced to concede points at Northampton. Probably the most exciting match was witnessed at Edgbaston where Warwickshire with one wicket in hand required but 14 runs for victory over Middlesex.

Three centuries were registered in the championship matches—Mitchell (Yorkshire) hitting up 140, Ernest Tyldesley (Lancashire) 122 not out, and R. E. S. Wyatt, the Warwickshire skipper, 103 not out. Nigel Haig, the Middlesex captain, had the misfortune to miss three figures by four runs, whilst Timms (Northants) scored 97 and Croom (Warwick) 90. Bowes, the Yorkshire fast bowler, returned the good figures of 10 wickets for 105 runs against Gloucester, whilst Herman (Hants) took 6 Lancashire wickets for 83 runs.

Thanks to excellent bowling by Amur Singh (11 for 100) and an innings for 96 by S. H. M. Colah, the All-India eleven defeated Cambridge University by nine wickets, Kent found the Nawab of Patand in good form but with Frank Woolley rattling up 97 and Hardinge capturing 7 wickets for 64 runs, Kent beat the M.C.C. by ten wickets.

Full Results and Champion Table on Page 4.

DRIVER FAILS TO STOP.

After Fatal Accident
in Wanchai.

A KOWLOON SPILL.

Two motor accidents, one attended by fatality, were reported to the Police authorities yesterday.

A girl, Chan Lim-ho, aged 7 years, living at 48, Hignessy Road, after being knocked down by an unknown motor car, received injuries to her head and right foot, from which she died in the Government Civil Hospital, Inter. The driver of the car, which the Police are making every effort to track, failed to stop after the accident.

Lieut. H. B. Davidson, of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, quartered at Sham Shui Po Camp, reported that while driving in a car in Lai Chi Kok Road near Nam Cheung Street, he knocked down a shop coolie, Ho Sam (17), who suddenly emerged from the island in the centre of the road. The man sustained injuries to his arms and legs, and was sent to the Kowloon Hospital.

CHEN MAY GO TO MOSCOW.

Speculation on Relations
with Soviet.

Shanghai, To-day.
The North China Daily News says that considerable speculation has been aroused in political circles by reports that Mr. Eugene Chen, if he is not appointed as Minister of Foreign Affairs, may go to Moscow as Chinese Ambassador there, when diplomatic relations are resumed.—Reuter.

BRITAIN AND THE DAVIS CUP.

Perry and Lee Win
Against Poland.

POLISH PLAYER'S ONSLAUGHTS
CHECKED.

U.S.A. and Japan
Win.

Warsaw, Yesterday.

Great Britain are in a winning position in their Third Round encounter against Poland in the European Zone of the Davis Cup. To-day both Lee and Perry won their singles matches to give Britain a lead of two matches to love.

H. G. N. Lee was taking no chances in his game against Stolarow and won comfortably in straight sets. The Polish player was most aggressive in the first set and had he been a little steadier he might quite easily have established an early advantage. Lee, however, had the match well in hand during the remaining sets. Perry experienced great difficulty in his first two sets against Tloczynski, who displayed his best form of the season in a gruelling match which left him visibly tiring in the third set. The Pole played like a champion at the commencement and only Perry's determination and nonchalance saved the day. Time and again he left Perry standing with dazzling cross-court drives which brought down the gallery. Should he display the same form against Lee in the second singles

(Continued on Page 4.)

THE SUNKEN LINER EGYPT.

Treasure Room Reached
at Last.

AFTER YEARS OF
DISAPPOINTMENT AND DANGER.

15,000 Rupees
Recovered.

Brest, Yesterday.

After years of disappointment and danger to Italian divers, the salvage ship Artiglio has succeeded in penetrating the treasure room of the sunken liner Egypt. The ceiling of the strong room was blown out yesterday by means of chain bombs placed in position by four divers.

A case containing a packet of notes to the value of 15,000 rupees was first to be recovered, and work is proceeding.—Reuter.

ANGLO-IRISH PARLEY FAILS.

Prolonged Discussion
But No Agreement.

FAILURE NOT SURPRISING.

Excellent Good Humour,
Says Mr. Thomas.

London, Yesterday.

Consultations between representatives of the British and Irish Free State Governments, which were begun in Dublin on Tuesday, and concluded in London to-day, failed to solve the difficulties which have arisen regarding negotiations connected with the Ottawa Economic Conference.

A communiqué which was issued after the Conference had dispersed at about 5 o'clock was as follows:

"A meeting took place between the President and Vice-President of the Executive Council of the Irish Free State, Mr. De Valera and Mr. Sean O'Kelly, and the Prime Minister, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, the Lord President of the Council Mr. Stanley Baldwin, the Home Secretary, Sir Herbert Samuel, the Dominions Secretary, Mr. J. H. Thomas, and the Minister of War Lord Haldane, at No. 10, Downing Street at 11.30 a.m.

"The meeting was adjourned at 1.30 p.m. and resumed one hour later.

"There was prolonged discussion of the points at issue, but it was not found possible to reach an agreement."

In view of the attitude adopted by Mr. De Valera and his Ministers on the Oath of Allegiance Bill, now before the Free State Legislature, the failure of the Conference has caused very little surprise in political circles here.

The Dominions Secretary was present at Euston Station, later, when Mr. De Valera left on his return to Dublin.

Mr. Thomas told the Press that the Conference had passed off quietly and the questions before them discussed with excellent good humour.—British Wireless Service.

HUNGER MARCHERS PACIFIED.

Bill for \$125,000 to
Feed Them.

Washington, Yesterday.
A Bill authorizing the appropriation of \$125,000 to provide for the feeding of the Bonus Army now encamped upon the banks of the Potomac has been presented in the House of Representatives. When news of the proposed Bill reached Bonus leaders, they expressed their surprise and disapproval. The Bill is estimated to cost \$125,000, and it is estimated that there are about 15,000 Bonus marchers in the District of Columbia.

LINDBERGH KIDNAP- PING SEQUEL

MRS. MORROW'S MAID COMMITTS SUICIDE

POLICE SAY SHE HAD GUILTY
KNOWLEDGE.

MISTRESS BELIEVES HER INNOCENT

Hackensack, New Jersey, Yesterday.

The maid employed at the home of Col. Lindbergh's mother-in-law, at the time of the kidnapping of the Lindbergh baby, committed suicide by taking poison.

The maid had already been examined three times by the Police since the kidnapping, and was to have been re-examined to-day.

Her body was found in the pantry by the Butler. SISTER UNDER SUSPICION.

The Police state that Edith, a sister of the dead maid, Violet Sharp, who is believed to be English left for England four days after Dr. Condon had handed over \$50,000 to a mysterious intermediary. The Police have requested Scotland Yard to interview the sister.

Colonel Schwarzkopf, who is in charge of the New Jersey investigations in connection with the Lindbergh kidnapping case, has made a statement that the suicide of the maid tended to confirm the suspicions of the investigating authorities that she had guilty knowledge of the kidnapping. Suspicion of her was aroused by her conflicting statements as to her whereabouts on the night of the kidnapping; and she yesterday identified a photograph of Ernest Brinkert, her male companion on the night of the kidnapping.

The arrest of Brinkert, who has a criminal record, has been ordered. MRS. MORROW BELIEVES IN MAID. Mrs. Morrow believes that both Violet and Edith Sharp are innocent.—Reuter.

Mrs. Morrow, who is Col. Lindbergh's mother-in-law, is the widow of the late Senator Dwight Morrow.—Reuter's American Service.

Binkert has been arrested.

Kidnapped on March 1.

The Lindberghs' baby was kidnapped at 8 p.m. on March 1, and after over two months of negotiations with the supposed kidnappers and the following up of numerous "clues," the world was shocked on May 13 to learn that the baby was dead.

The skeleton of the baby, wrapped in clothing which were definitely identified as that of the Lindberghs' child, was found in a shallow grave in some bushes a little distance from the Lindbergh home at Hopewell, New Jersey.

The baby, blue-eyed, and like his father, blond-haired, was aged 20 months when kidnapped. Named Charles Augustus Lindbergh, Junior, (the name of his father), he was 2ft. 9in. in height, and was the idol of the nation.

Theory of Police. Following the discovery of the skeleton, the Police were stated to be working on the theory that the kidnappers might be traced through the accredited intermediaries who established contact with them, or else by means of the \$50,000 in bank notes which was handed over to them on behalf of Col. Lindbergh.

Gang of Gangsters. A gang of gangsters, reported from Detroit that Harry Campbell, the notorious leader of the Purple Gang, who had been sought for throughout the United States since the kidnapping of the Lindbergh baby, had been arrested and was being held by the Police.

Second Maid Suspected. The Lindberghs' own maid, engaged to take care of the kidnapped baby was Miss Gow, a Scottish girl. She and her "young man," the Lindberghs' chauffeur, came under suspicion following the kidnapping, but they were eventually exonerated from all blame.

While Miss Gow has been prominent in the news since the kidnapping of the baby, the dead girl, Violet Sharp, had not been heard of until now.

CLOUDY—RAIN.

The weather report issued by the Royal Observatory at 10.27 a.m. to-day, states:— Pressure is highest to the East of Hokkaido.

The depression remains over South-west China, and a typhoon appears to be developing to the East of Formosa.

Forecast:—South or variable wind, moderate to heavy rain.

9.00 a.m. June 11, 1932. Weather:—b, s, c, 1045—Low pressure area extending from the China sea to the Pacific across Northern Luzon and the Philippine Channel.

A real typhoon may develop later.

11.45 a.m. June 11, 1932. Weather:—b, s, c, 1045—Low pressure area extending from the China sea to the Pacific across Northern Luzon and the Philippine Channel.

Unknown typhoon in the Pacific.



The WOMAN'S Page



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A Training For Daughters; Laundry Possibilities

In these days of constantly varying fabrics there is tremendous scope for laundries that can undertake to wash the fine laces, silks, artificial silks and woollens of which our clothes are now made. Years ago everyone wore either the plain linen, cotton or woollen lingerie that would stand hard washing, mangling, etc. Laundering is a specialized business, and it is in this trade that a girl can look now for a reliable career.

Not Drudgery.

Laundry work is by no means drudgery, nor is it monotonous, as the articles to be laundered are so dainty and varied, and there is definite pleasure and satisfaction in seeing a pile of well-washed and well-ironed clothes.

As a career, a girl can aim at laundry management. There is, however, not necessarily only one position worth while in a laundry in these days. Laundries are large, well-organized businesses with various sections which need administrators or supervisors with knowledge and intelligence.

Practical training is necessary for any position and this can easily be obtained at numerous classes or trade school centres at reasonable fees.

Suitable for Women.

The period of training is from six to 12 months. Some of the best laundries take apprentice pupils.

Here you can be taught how the different fabrics should be laundered by hand or machinery, the value of plant and machinery, the purchase of stores, arrangements for transport, office work connected with the business, and an insight into the management of staff.

All this will be helpful whether

you have a business of your own or not.

There is plenty of scope for the ambitious girl to start a small hand laundry business for special fabrics if care is taken in selecting the right neighbourhood.

Many Methods.

For instance, there are many varieties of artificial silk nowadays that need different kinds of treatment when being washed, and numerous other new fabrics requiring individual handling.

Many big firms provide you with instructions regarding the washing of certain materials.

Lace And Wool

A Swallow-Tail coat of lace was one of the novelties seen at a fashion parade of the new season's creations in Golden Square yesterday.

It was of heavy red lace and was worn over an evening gown of brown and cream lace—the skirt being cut in two pieces and joined down the front and back where the lace hung in soft cascades.

There was also some dual fashions, including a lovely blue coat, called "Escapade," of soft woolen loosely-woven fabric. Round the waist was a red leather belt with a special hinged fastener designed by the youthful creator of the gowns—Mr. Ronald Morrel.

Dual Dresses

At one side of the front was a large blue hand-stitched rever and at the other a red one that extended over the shoulder and formed a scarf, and was tucked through the belt. When the scarf rever was taken off it left an attractive coat frock. Another dual design was a fine black woolen skirt, umbrella shape, fitting snugly as far as the knees and then going off into a flare of broad tucks.

Interchangeable Blouses.

With it the mannequin wore a broad tuckled yellow and white printed chiffon blouse with an up-standing frill at the neck and a black bolero short-sleeved coat.

She next appeared in the same skirt with a black tuck-in blouse of similar fabric and a yellow and white organdie cape collar with shoulder sleeves. Her arms were bare, but at her wrists were flared cuffs of tucked organdie to match. Its name as "Fuzzy Wuzzy."

Raffia crochet decorated a spring costume of deep, canary fine wool material. It formed the basque and insertion in the sleeves and round the collar.

A Military Touch

"Brigadier" was a dull black crepe afternoon dress trimmed with "necklace" of red and white three-cornered pieces of cloth. The slit sleeves revealed a similar decoration.

One of the newest unbreakable fabrics—wool volle—in a shrimp tint with a white pin-strip was made into a day dress. A feature of it was its straightness. There was no apparent fullness, and its perfect fit was through the clever arrangement of the fabric joined in crissway panels.

A new neck treatment was provided by folds of tangerine wool volle round the neck line with tiny half collars over it on each shoulder.

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Menu Suggestions

The Dinner Menu.

Tomato Soup
Roast Duck Orange Sauce
Buttered New Potatoes
Creamed Carrots and Peas
Bread Currant Jelly
Celery
Rhubarb Pudding Coffee
Roast Duck.
1 duck
2 tablespoons fat
1 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon paprika
1 tablespoon finely chopped onion
1 tablespoon chopped celery
1 cup boiling water.
Carefully clean and wash duck. Rub with fat and sprinkle with salt and paprika. Place on a rack in baking pan. Bake 15 minutes in hot oven. Cover with lid and lower fire and bake 15 minutes. Add other ingredients, roast one hour. Orange Sauce.

1 large orange
1 cup water
3 tablespoons butter
2 tablespoons flour
1 1/2 cups boiling water
1/4 teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons lemon juice.
Peel orange. Cut pulp into small pieces, add cup of water and boil gently 10 minutes. Melt butter and add flour. Blend well and add boiling water, orange mixture and the rest of the ingredients. Boil for three minutes. Serve with hot duck.

Rhubarb Pudding.
3 cups diced rhubarb
1 cup sugar
1/2 cup water
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1/4 teaspoon cloves
4 tablespoons butter
2 tablespoons lemon juice.
Mix all ingredients and pour into shallow, buttered baking dish. Cover with crust.

Crust.
2 cups flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
1/8 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup lard
5 tablespoons milk.
Mix flour, baking powder and salt. Cut in lard with knife. Add milk. When soft dough forms, pat it out and fit over rhubarb mixture. Make four holes in top. Bake 30 minutes in moderate oven.



RASPBERRY red and lavender blue are fashion's newest exotic combination. One sleek, dinner frock of rich blue lavender crepe is worn with a waist-length jacket of raspberry red velvet.

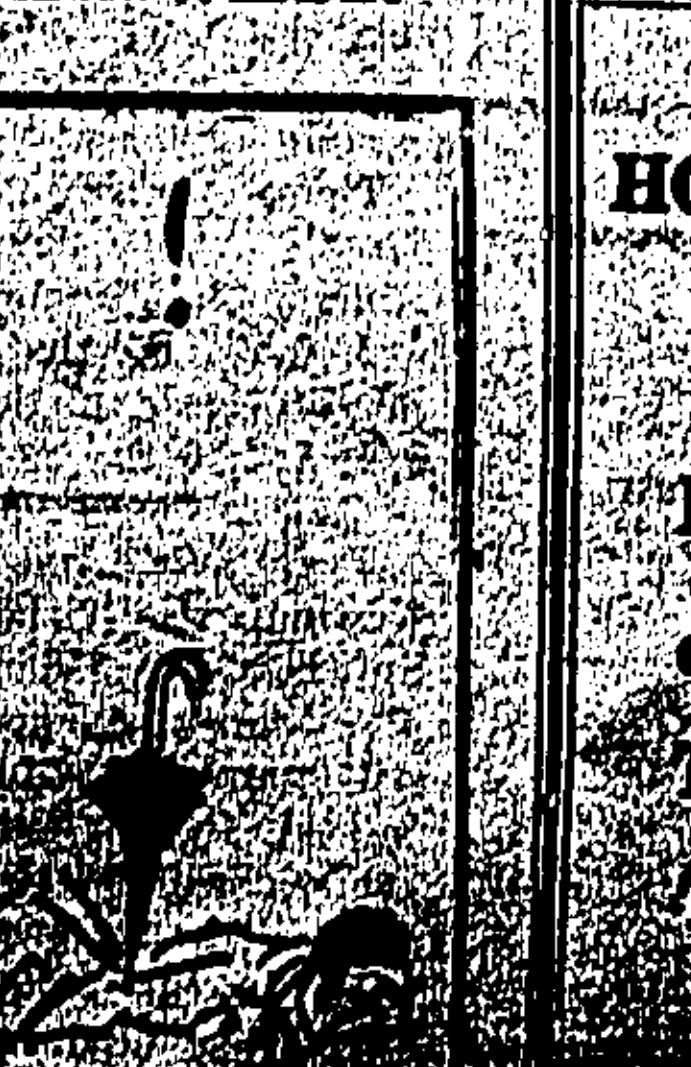
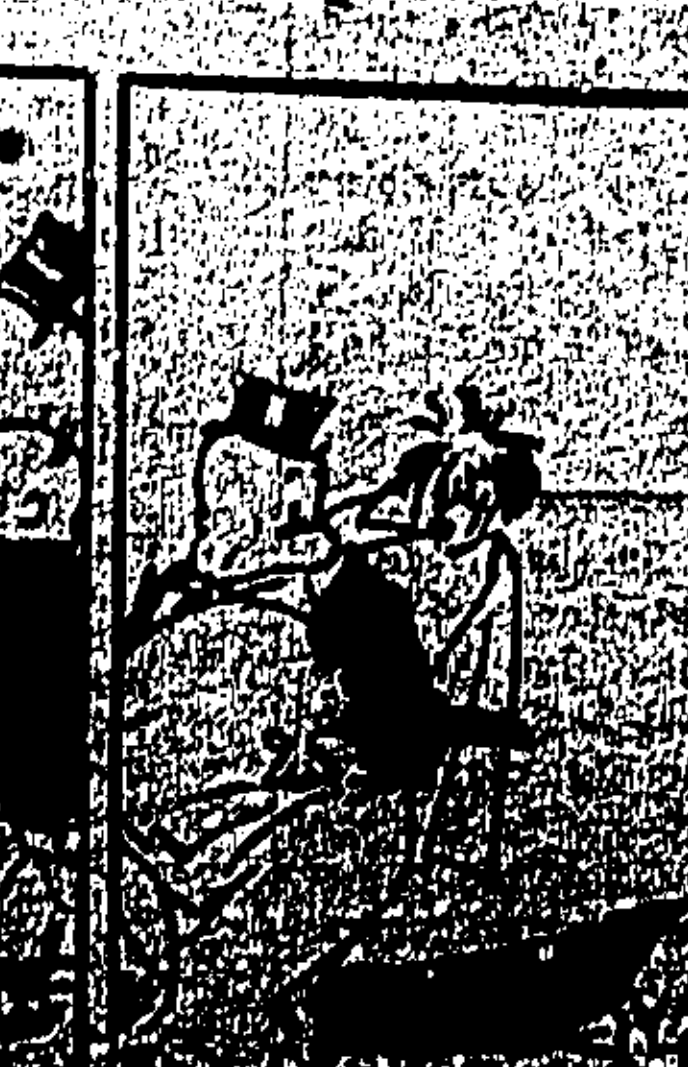
LARGE cuffs of embroidered silver ornament a white satin blouse worn by Mrs. M. Webster Dawley. With it she wears a close-fitting black hat with a silver feather and a black coat trimmed with ermine.

JACKETS vary greatly in length with waistline treatments important, jackets buttoned, buckled, or tied or, describing a criss-cross handling. Double-breasted stylings are approved for jackets and also for coat-dresses and suits. Revers continue to be important and are wider than ever, on blouses, jackets and capes, and interest in revers is extended to evening as well as daytime fashions. Bracelets or clips outsmart a necklace when a dress neckline is fashionably high.

THE Marquise de Portago attended a recent fashionable tea wearing one of the new cape wraps which are much in vogue this Spring. The cape, made of black crinkly ribbon, was designed to slip over the head and fall in a point below the waist in the back. The Marquise wore it with a frock of black crepon fastening down the neckline with metal clips.

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CRAIGENGOWER v. C.S.C.C.

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First Division.
 Kowloon Docks v. Tai Koo R.C.
 Craigengower v. Civil Service.
 Kowloon B.G.C. v. Police R.C.
 Kowloon C.C. v. Recreio.
Second Division.
 Recreio v. H.K. Electric R.C.
 Tai Koo R.C. v. Kowloon C.C.
 Civil Service v. Kowloon B.G.C.
 Yacht Club v. Craigengower.
PROBABLE TEAMS.
 Tai Koo R.C. 1st Team.
 Tai Koo R.C. 2nd Team.
 K.B.G.C. 1st Team.
 K.B.G.C. 2nd Team.
 Recreio 1st Team.
 Recreio 2nd Team.

TENNIS AND BOWLS WASHED OUT.

Owing to weather conditions the Lawn Tennis League and Lawn Bowls League programmes for this afternoon have been postponed.

DAVIS CUP.

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match Poland will break through Britain's record of clean-sweep victories. His physical condition does not, however, offer much hope if the match should go to five sets.

Scores as cable by Reuter were as follow:—

H. G. N. Lee (Britain) beat Stolarow (Poland) 6-4, 6-3, 6-3.
 F. J. Perry (Britain) beat Telozynski (Poland) 7-5, 8-6, 6-2.

America in Final.
 Forest Hills, Yesterday.
 The United States reached the Inter-Zone Final when they won the doubles match against Brazil to-day. In the Final they will in all probability meet Great Britain for the right to challenge France for the possession of the Davis Cup.

Earlier Results.
 Frank Shields (U.S.A.) beat Pernambuco (Brazil) 6-1, 3-6, 6-3, 8-6.
 Wilbur Allison (U.S.A.) beat Cruz (Brazil) 6-2, 6-3, 6-3.
 Japan in Quarter Finals.
 Copenhagen, Yesterday.
 Japan, as the result of her doubles victory, to-day entered the Fourth Round of the Davis Cup at the expense of Denmark. In this round she will meet the winner of the match between Italy and Monaco or Switzerland for the right of entry to the Final of the European Zone.

Earlier Results.
 Jiro Satoh (Japan) beat Jacobsen (Denmark) 6-1, 6-2, 6-4.
 Kuwabara (Japan) beat Ulrich (Denmark) 6-4, 6-2, 6-0.

CAMBRIDGE WINNERS AT TENNIS.

Dark Blues Defeated by 12 to 4.

BETTY'S BROTHER BEATEN.

London, May 30.
 Cambridge won the annual Inter-Varsity lawn tennis competition to-day, the score being 12 wins to 4, with five matches abandoned owing to rain.

There were two surprising defeats, the downfall of Madan Mohan, the Cambridge captain, by 6/2, 6/2, and that of Jim Nuthall, the brother of Betty Nuthall, by 6/2, 5/7, 6/3.

Joe Davis was 30 last April. Newman was 37 last March. Willie Smith will be 46 next January, but given continued good health, he has still many years for high-class play. Indeed, in my opinion, he has not yet reached the zenith of his power, and will be a great asset to the team for many years to come.

HOME CRICKET SCOREBOARD.

London, Yesterday.
 Results as cable by Reuter were as follow:—

County Championship.

Yorkshire beat Gloucestershire by an innings and 95 runs at Bristol (Fry's Ground).

Yorkshire: 418 (Mitchell 140); Gloucestershire: 173 (Bowes 5 for 49); 150 (Bowes 5 for 56).

Surrey beat Derbyshire by 199 runs at the Oval.
 Surrey: 315 and 207 for 9 dec.
 Derby: 168 and 155.

Lancashire took first innings points from Hampshire at Manchester.
 Lancs.: 283 (Herman 6 for 83); 215 for 2 dec. (Tyldesley, E. 122 not out).
 Hants.: 272 and 21 for 2.

Northamptonshire took first innings points from Essex at Northampton.
 Northants.: 259 and 284 for 9 dec. (Timms 97).
 Essex: 220 and 136 for 3.

Warwickshire took first innings points from Middlesex at Edgbaston.
 Middlesex: 184 and 377 (N. Haig 96).
 Warwick: 261 (Croom 90); 277 for 9 (R. E. S. Wyatt 103 not out).

Friendlies.

The All-India XI defeated Cambridge University by nine wickets at Cambridge.
 Cambridge: 92 (Amar Singh 5 for 30);
 274 (A. T. Ratcliffe 112 not out, Amar Singh 6 for 70).
 Indians: 308 (S. H. M. Colah 96); 59 for one wicket.

Kent beat the M.C.C. by ten wickets at Lord's.
 M.C.C.: 285 (Nawab of Pataudi 84 not out, Hardinge 7 for 64);
 216 (Nawab of Pataudi 73).
 Kent: 481 (Woolley 97); 23 for no wicket.

EARLIER RESULTS.

County Championship.

Glamorganshire beat Leicestershire by an innings and 136 runs at Cowbridge.
 Leicestershire: 84 (Mercer 5 for 38); 68 (J. C. Clay 5 for 23).
 Glamorganshire: 338 (Emery Davies 103, Geary 7 for 100).

Sussex beat Worcestershire by an innings and 102 runs at Horsham.
 Worcestershire: 88 (Tate 4 for 26); 153 (Tate 4 for 47).
 Sussex: 843 (K. S. Duleep Singh 116).

Friendlies.

The Somerset Gentlemen beat the South American XI by eight wickets at Taunton.
 South Americans: 216 and 108.
 Somerset Gentlemen: 177 and 149 for 2.

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BASEBALL BATTLE ROYAL.

Player Attacked on Second Base.

COLEMAN INJURED.

New York, Yesterday.
 A battle royal was staged at Brooklyn when Herman attacked Jurgess, the Finnish player, on the second base. It was a hotly contested game and the Dodgers just got home by 4-3 over the Chicago Cubs.

Coleman, the Philadelphia Athletics star, fractured his left ankle when sliding into the plate, but in spite of this accident the Athletics defeated the Cleveland Indians by 10-7.

The following were the results of to-day's games:—

National League.
 New York 4, Cincinnati 3.
 Herman hit a home run.
 Boston 2, St. Louis 1.
 Philadelphia 6, Pittsburgh 5.
 Paul Waner hit a home run.
 Brooklyn 4, Chicago 3.
 Hemsley hit a home run.

American League.
 Detroit 7, New York 8.
 Schube (2) and Gehrig hit home runs.
 Cleveland 7, Philadelphia 10.
 Cochrane and Al Simmons hit home runs.

Chicago 0, Washington 10.
 Bluege hit a home run.
 St. Louis 4, Boston 3.
 —Reuter's American Service.

TABLES TO DATE.

National League.

	P.	W.	L.	Age
Chicago	51	30	21	.587
Boston	52	30	22	.578
St. Louis	50	25	25	.500
New York	48	24	24	.500
Pittsburgh	47	23	24	.489
Cincinnati	43	24	29	.452
Philadelphia	53	24	29	.452
Brooklyn	53	24	29	.452

American League.

	P.	W.	L.	Age
New York	49	34	15	.694
Washington	50	30	20	.600
Philadelphia	52	29	23	.557
Detroit	47	26	21	.558
Cleveland	52	28	24	.536
St. Louis	49	25	24	.510
Chicago	48	17	31	.354
Boston	49	8	41	.163

Home Run Leaders.

Jimmy Fox (Philadelphia Aths.)	21
Babe Ruth (New York Yankees)	17
Chuck Klein (Philadelphia Phillies)	14
Al Simmons (Philadelphia Aths.)	13
Jimmy Collins (St. Louis Cardinals)	12
Mickey Cochrane (Philadelphia A.)	12
Billy Terry (New York Giants)	11
Hack Wilson (Brooklyn Dodgers)	10
Lou Gehrig (New York Yankees)	10

LAWN TENNIS OPENS THIS AFTERNOON.

League Champions Visit Hong Kong C.C.

K.C.C. ENTERTAIN CHINESE R.C.

After two fruitless attempts to commence the 1932 season the Lawn Tennis League should be able to get under way this afternoon when twenty-eight teams will be seen in action.

Surrey v. Essex at the Oval.
 Kent v. Yorkshire at Tonbridge.
 Hampshire v. Derby at Southampton.
 Somerset v. Nottingham at Taunton.
 Northants v. Warwick.

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP TABLE TO DATE.

	P.	W.	L.	Result	Pts.	Pts.
Sussex (4)	8	4	0	1	1	120
Kent (6)	8	4	0	3	3	125
Middlesex (11)	8	4	0	3	3	125
Lancashire (5)	7	3	4	2	1	110
Nottingham (6)	7	3	4	2	1	105
Derbyshire (7)	10	2	8	1	1	150
Hampshire (12)	8	3	5	1	1	120
Leicestershire (16)	9	2	7	2	0	125
Essex (10)	6	1	5	2	1	90
Glamorganshire (15)	8	1	7	1	1	125
Gloucestershire (15)	8	1	7	1	1	125
Surrey (13)	8	1	7	1	1	125
Warwickshire (9)	8	1	7	1	1	125
Yorkshire (10)	8	1	7	1	1	125
Northants (17)	8	1	7	1	1	125
Worcestershire (14)	8	1	7	1	1	125

The system of scoring is as follows:—15 points for a win, 7½ points for a draw, 3½ points for a first innings win, 3 points for a first innings draw, and 2½ points for a first innings loss. The aggregate of the points for the first and second innings is the final score.



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A WHOLE WEEK'S NEWSPAPERS IN ONE.

An unemployed Chinese, Wong Tong, aged 27 years, who took an Austin Saloon car, for a joy-ride on the night of June 6, and was caught on the Peak by Traffic-Sergeant Brittain after over an hour's desperate chase on a motorcycle, paid the penalty in the Central Magistracy on June 8, when he was sentenced to six months' hard labour, with additional fines totalling \$100. The car, owned by Mr. H. R. Major, was damaged to the extent of \$285. Traffic-Inspector C. F. Alexander, who prosecuted, said he was instructed to ask for a heavy penalty in view of the prevalence of such thefts. A full story of the exciting chase, together with the Police Court proceedings, is published in the OVERLAND CHINA MAIL.

A motion, that the Government should reconsider and review existing water restrictions in the interests of public health, proposed by Mr. M. K. Lo, and seconded by Dr. Li Shu-fan, was carried by three votes to one vote at a meeting of the Sanitary Board held on June 8. Mr. Lo stated that his main reason in bringing forward the motion was that the Government, in not giving a fair trial to the Hon. Dr. Kotewall's suggestion at a meeting of the Legislative Council on May 19, did not give any reasons. In seconding the motion, Dr. Li drew attention to the danger of contamination, and the fear of an outbreak of cholera. The meeting is fully reported in the OVERLAND CHINA MAIL.

The new clubhouse of the Kowloon Golf Club, at Kowloon City, was declared open by the G.O.C. His Excellency Major-General J. W. Sandilands, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., on June 4, in the presence of a large gathering of members and their friends. The clubhouse, erected on the old site, embodies many modern features, and provides adequately for the Ladies' section. The President (Mr. J. H. Hunt, O.B.E.) in the course of his speech, welcomed the guests, and paid a warm tribute to the Military authorities for their splendid co-operation and unfailing help. The ceremony is reported in the OVERLAND CHINA MAIL.

A record working profit — \$249,029.13 — in the history of the firm was recorded at the tenth ordinary yearly meeting of Messrs. Lane, Crawford, Ltd., held on June 9, under the chairmanship of the Hon. Mr. W. E. L. Shenton. A net-profit for the year of \$227,292.57 was also reported, while a bonus to the staff will absorb \$18,170.08. The meeting is reported in the OVERLAND CHINA MAIL.

Mr. Eldon Potter, K.C., of Hong Kong, is among the array of counsel fighting in the Hardoon millions' case, which is being heard in the British Supreme Court at Shanghai. Mr. Potter is acting for Mrs. Hardoon, defendant in the action, which is reported in the OVERLAND CHINA MAIL.

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The Gold Standard

The findings of the Gold Delegation, appointed by the League of Nations in 1929, provide little information of value and the report is disappointing in that it is conservative, cautious and far from comprehensive. The conflict of opinion is shown in the divergence of views expressed in the main report and the minority report. The committee upholds the gold standard, claiming that it is the best available monetary mechanism, and is capable of achieving most of the advantages claimed for alternative standards. The very wording of the report admits discrepancy, and the statement that gold will achieve most of the advantages of other standards reveals the fact that the gold standard is by no means ideal. The omission of any finding on silver, or the alternative of a combined gold and silver standard, detracts from the worth of the finding, particularly at a time when many countries, including the British Empire, are seriously considering the possibilities of adopting such a standard. Indeed, many leading economists opine that the only solution of the complicated monetary problem is the recognition of silver, preferably in a ratio to gold. The advantages of such a system are many, including the provision of sufficient metal to cover the world's needs and the opening of new increased markets in the Far East and countries like Mexico, where silver is the basic metal of the currency. The League report declares that apart from the considerations of the distribution of the world's stocks of monetary gold, they are adequate to support the world's credit structure, but this declaration is made in the face of the opinions of many experts that the supply of monetary gold is inadequate and that future production will be insufficient to keep pace with increasing needs. So international is the nature of international finance that the complete monetary structure of the world is affected by the monetary policy of any one country. The gold standard is a failure, being inadequate to cope with the increasing needs of the world. Mr. Montague Norman, Governor of the Bank of England, is now under considerable fire for having restored England to the gold standard in 1925, this action being termed premature while many of Britain's present economic troubles are attributed to that return. The Delegation, defending the gold standard, contends that the rapid decline of commodity prices cannot be attributed to any deficiency in the gold supply, whereas the minority report, to which the whole of the British representatives subscribed, makes the more accurate assertion that the dominant cause of the breakdown of the gold standard was the maldistribution of gold supplies, beginning in 1929. Many factors accounted for the depression and not the least was the failure of the gold standard which brought about a slump in the world markets through the unequal distribution of gold. The Delegation, while not original, has come more to the point in stressing the remedies for the present economic depression, including an early settlement of international debts and mitigation of the restraint upon international trade. Debts and reparations must be adjusted immediately, and equally important is the removal of the many trade barriers which hinder the commerce of all nations.

THE LATEST QUOTATIONS OF SHANGHAI SHARES.

Messrs. Carroll Bros. have just received the latest cable quotations of Shanghai Shares.

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GIRL GUIDE MOVEMENT.

Mrs. Southorn's Letter of Thanks.

FURNISHING OF THE HUT.

Headquarters Fund.

(The Editor, "China Mail")

Dear Sir,—I should be greatly obliged if you would kindly find room in your columns for an acknowledgment of all the kindness that the Guide Movement has received with regard to the funds for Guide Headquarters (The Sandilands Hut). Friends of all nationalities have contributed with a readiness that has given the greatest pleasure to all concerned with the Guide Movement.

Helpers Thanked.

Mr. Tang Shiu-kin has sent \$5,000 contributed by himself and his friends. This is a magnificent help towards the amount we require. We thank most warmly each of the generous donors, and in particular Mr. Tang Shiu-kin, who inspired this splendid gift.

We are greatly indebted to the Jockey Club for a very generous donation of \$500.

We owe a tremendous debt of gratitude to Mrs. J. B. Newill, and to the Committee and Members of the Club Lusitano, who raised the sum of \$2,657 by means of a Bridge and Mah Jong drive and raffles at the Club Lusitano on May 27. The show was admirably organised by Mrs. Newill and her helpers, and proved a great success both socially and financially.

We are also greatly indebted to Mr. Komor for much valuable help in various ways and for allowing us, in conjunction with "The Athens Company," to exhibit the raffie prizes in their show window.

Friends Who Assisted.

The following friends greatly assisted us by donations, sale of raffie, bridge and mah jong ticket and in other ways:—

The Rev. G. T. Waldegrave, The Hon. Dr. and Mrs. T. O. The Hon. Mr. C. G. Mackie, Commodore and Mrs. Walker, Major Duclos, Mr. Riddiford, Mrs. T. H. King, Mr. M. J. Quist, the Hon. Mr. Braga, the Hon. Dr. and Mrs. Kotewall, Mr. Ho Leung, Mrs. S. A. Lopes, Mrs. F. X. da Silva, Mrs. A. M. Soares, Mrs. C. A. da Costa, Mrs. Remedios, Mrs. F. M. N. da Silva, Mrs. A. A. Alves, Mrs. J. M. da Rocha, Mrs. Grist, Mrs. Brasier-Creagh, Komor's Exhibition Rooms, Mrs. Denis Blake, Mrs. Coppin, Mrs. L. H. King, Mrs. Stafford Smith, Mrs. Harriman, Miss Lopes, Miss Webster, Miss Hutcheson, Miss A. Owen Hughes.

Bridge and Mah Jong. Welcome prizes for bridge and mah jong were received from:—H.H. Sir Joseph Kemp, The Hon. Mr. W. E. L. Shenton, Mrs. J. A. Fraser, Dr. Graca Ozorio, Mrs. Felix Joseph, Commander Newill, D.S.O., and Messrs. Komor & Komor.

Mr. M. St. J. Walsh, of the British-American Tobacco Co., most kindly supplied us with cigarettes for sale, and many friends gave us home made sweets and prizes.

Mr. Hampden Rose audited the accounts for us, and we thank him very much for this kindness. Y.M.C.A. Ladies' Help. Mrs. J. H. Hunt and the members of the ladies' section of the Y.M.C.A. most kindly gave a very successful bridge and mah jong drive in aid of the Hut equipment, and realised the welcome sum of \$176. Every one enjoyed the afternoon thoroughly, and we are most grateful for this help.

We have had promises of assistance in furnishing the Hut from Mrs. R. H. Kotewall, who takes an unflinching interest in our Guide work, and Mrs. Sidney Woolf (London).

The estimated cost of the building is \$5,500, and we hope to have shortly an estimate for the furnishing and equipment of the Hut, for which it may be necessary to raise additional funds.

Gifts Received.

We are most grateful for all the gifts we have received both large and small, and we are looking forward to many more. It is most encouraging to find that so many people are interested in our Guide work, and we are sure that the Guide Movement will continue to grow and prosper.

This was entirely the handwork of the children, so that they have already contributed to their future home.

G.O.C. Thanked.

We cannot give adequate thanks to General Sandilands, and to Colonel Marsden and the Royal Engineers, who are helping us in every way. We hope that it may be possible for General Sandilands to open the Hut some time in August, and we trust that it will be a pleasant meeting place for all members of the Guide Movement, and a centre of happiness for the Guides and Brownies.

Any information regarding the Guide Movement, or offers of assistance in Guide work, or for the Hut, should be addressed to Mrs. C. E. L. Grist, 524 The Peak.

Yours faithfully,

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POSSESSION OF ARMS.

Woman Bound Over at Kowloon.

A LITTLE STUPID!

A young woman, Kwan Sau-mui was brought before Mr. Fraser at the Kowloon Police Court yesterday afternoon, on a charge of the unlawful possession of four automatic pistols, 1,050 rounds of ammunition, 36 clips and 12 springs, without a permit from the Hon. I.C.P.

Detective Sub-Inspector Elston prosecuted and Mr. A. el Arculli was for the defence.

The prosecution's case was that on the night of June 4, Inspector Elston, in company with Sgt. Dixie and other officers went to the first floor of 5 Chi Wo Street, Yaumatei. They found two boxes, which contained the arms and ammunition underneath the bed. The woman was found in a room at the Hotel Nathan and when brought back to the cubicle, claimed everything in it as hers, but stated that the boxes had been left by two men, who said they would return for them.

Mr. Arculli pointed out that the defendant had all along been very frank with the Police officer, both in the cubicle, at Chi Wo Street, and at the Hotel, though she might have been stupid to accommodate these two persons in accepting the boxes.

His Worship decided that the defendant must be convicted but he did not propose to impose any penalty.

Insp. Elston—Most unusual, your Worship.

His Worship—It is unusual.

His Worship bound the defendant over in the sum of \$200 to appear for judgment in twelve months. He ordered the confiscation of the arms and ammunition.

DECOYING CASE.

Man Sentenced to Three Months.

A DON JUAN!

The case in which a Chinese man and woman were charged with decoying a 16-year-old girl to Fatshan, Canton, for the purposes of prostitution, was concluded before Mr. Wynne-Jones in the Central Police Court yesterday afternoon, when both defendants were convicted of the charge. Two other charges of a similar nature brought against the male defendant were withdrawn by Inspector F. W. Shat-tain, on the ground of insufficient evidence. "This fellow exercises an extraordinary influence over women," he said.

His Worship sentenced the man to three months' hard labour, while the woman was bound over to come up for judgment when required.

(Continued from previous Column.)
Balance Sheet of Mah Jong & Bridge Drive at Club Lusitano.

Receipts.	
To sale of Raffle Ticket	\$2,191.00
To sale of Bridge & Mah Jong Tickets	570.00
To sale of Sweets & Cigarettes	50.00
	\$2,816.00
Payments.	
By cost of Prizes	145.00
By Coolie Hire	14.00
Balance	2,657.00
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Six months of investigation by the Hong Kong General Chamber of Commerce and the local Government on the subject of Hong Kong mails in relation to air mail services, has come to naught as the only service at present feasible for Hong Kong mails to connect with is via Singapore and Alor Star. This gives only a small saving of time which is discounted by the large additional charge which would have to be made.

The following is a summary of correspondence which has passed between the Chamber and the Government on the subject, as supplied by the Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce:

Chamber Takes Initiative.
In December last the Chamber of Commerce discussed the question of a possible alternative fast route for letters in the event of interference with mail services to and from Europe via Siberia.

The Government was written to requesting that enquiries be made as to schedule, time of transmission and cost of possible alternatives, e.g., by the various air mail routes by which letters are received and forwarded in the Straits Settlements.

The Chamber of Commerce also forwarded to the Government a copy of the Straits Settlements Post Office Pro Forma Time Table giving details of the air mail services at present existing, which was received from the Singapore Chamber of Commerce.

The Postmaster General, Hong Kong, also obtained details of air mail services from the Director General of Posts at Bandoeng and the Federated Malay States Director of Posts and Telegraphs.

Only Feasible Connection.
The only air mail service with which it appears feasible at the moment for Hong Kong mails to connect is the weekly service via Singapore and Alor Star. Hong Kong mails to London connecting with this service would take at least 16 or 17 days—a saving of four or five days only, compared with the route from Hong Kong via Siberia. Latterly, however, there has been some speeding up on this route.

The Committee of the Chamber of Commerce agreed with the Postmaster General that, in view of the small saving of time effected, an air mail service is not likely to attract much support so long as the Siberian route is working normally, particularly in view of the large additional charge which would have to be made.

It is understood, however, that arrangements are being made whereby an air mail service will operate immediately in the event of the Siberian route being interrupted.

If, and when, a direct air service between Hong Kong and Bangkok or Saigon becomes an established fact, air mails will no doubt be carried, as the reduction in time which will be effected by such a service will put the question on a different basis.

U.S. EXPORTS TO ORIENT.

Big Gain Shown in Winter.

With business at home falling to show any marked expansion in recent months, figures of export trade for the United States disclosing moderate increase in February over January are interesting. Total exports for the month were valued at \$143,924,000 or an increase of \$4,000,000 compared with the preceding month. Imports totalled \$130,977,114.

Shipments to 16 foreign markets showed gains in February, Belgium, Greece, Russia, Canada, Brazil, Chile and Japan being among the foreign buyers who bought more from Uncle Sam.

Sales Still Low.
Although there was a gain for the month, the total level of sales abroad continues substantially below that of one year ago. One market to show a great decline is that of Soviet Russia which for the first two months of 1932 purchased American goods to the value of \$2,700,000 compared with the preceding month of \$36,800,000 in the corresponding months of 1931.

War conditions in the Orient were reflected in a sharp increase in exports. During the first two months of the year Japan purchased goods valued at \$27,000,000, an increase of \$11,000,000 over January and February of 1931. Chinese purchases were \$15,000,000, an increase of \$4,000,000 compared with one year ago.

The importance of Europe in American foreign trade is evident from the fact that nearly one-half of the total sales abroad in February of \$74,000,000 went to European countries. European purchasing power has been badly affected, however, and in the first two months of 1932 Europe purchased American goods to the value of \$14,000,000, a decrease of \$11,000,000 compared with one year ago.

BARONET PLANS A "CAT HUNT."

Greyhounds to Comb Mayfair Streets.

Sir Charles Mappin, aged twenty-three, has been so disturbed by the howling of cats at night, that he has organised the "Old Berkeley-square Cat Hounds" and has arranged a "meet."

He states that more than a hundred men and women residents of Mayfair have accepted his invitation to this meet. The letter runs:

You are invited to the opening meet of the Old Berkeley-square Cat Hounds at the Running Horse in East Chapel-street. The pack will then move off to the Running Horse in Charles Street for further refreshment before setting out to run as many cats to earth as make themselves heard about the structure of my house. Signed, Sir Charles Mappin, Bt., M.C.H., Marquis de Sade, 1st Whip.

His Hounds.
Sir Charles said: "We may use greyhounds in the hunt. We shall avoid cruelty, but we shall comb the streets and lock the captured cats in a room rented for the occasion."

"Cats not claimed by their owners will probably be painlessly destroyed."

"An appeal will be made to owners who turn up to keep their cats quiet at night. Stray cats make the night hideous. It is time something was done."

Sir Charles Thomas Hewitt Mappin, fourth baronet, is the son of the late Thomas Wilson Mappin, eldest son of the third baronet. He was married to Miss Ruby Gordon Duff, daughter of Captain Gordon Duff in 1930.

Personal Park.

The Hon. Mr. T. C. Gray, Director of Public Works, who is residing at the Park Hotel, has been visiting the Park Hotel, and has been seen by the Park Hotel staff.

LATE MR. E. R. DOVEY.

Remains to Be Taken to Australia.

SERVICE AT CEMETERY CHAPEL LAST EVENING.

The remains of the late Mr. E. R. Dovey, Government Analyst, which are to be embalmed and conveyed to Sydney, Australia, at the request of his parents, were taken to the Chapel of the Protestant Cemetery, Happy Valley, last evening, where they will remain until the time of shipment.

A service was conducted at the Chapel by the Rev. E. G. Powell, assisted by the Rev. Frank Short, and there was a large gathering of mourners present.

The chief mourner was the deceased's cousin, Dr. J. E. Dovey, who walked immediately behind the hearse, and a company of the Police Reserves also attended, the late Mr. Dovey having been originator and commanding officer of the Sharpshooters' Company.

His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government was represented by Captain Webb, A. D. C.

Among those present were Hon. Mr. H. T. Cressy, Hon. Dr. A. R. Wellington, Mr. T. S. Whyte-Smith, Mr. F. H. Loeby, Dr. D. J. Valentine, Mr. M. F. Key, Dr. R. B. Jackson, Dr. R. S. Begbie, Dr. G. W. Pope, Dr. A. Greaves, Hon. Mr. T. H. King, (Acting I. G. P.), Mr. W. Schofield, Mr. J. C. M. Grenham, Dean Swann, Mr. H. A. Taylor, Dr. Fehly, Mr. M. R. Deb, Mr. T. H. Murphy, Mr. C. G. Perdue, Mr. D. L. King, Chief Inspector Grant, Inspector Fallon, Mr. F. D. Leonard, Mr. F. J. de Rome, Mr. Bishen Singh, and Mr. F. A. Redmond.

There was a profusion of wreaths which included those from the father and mother; from his surviving wife; from your L.S.; from his brother Wilfred, Natalie, Jan and Lillic; and from H.E. the Officer Administering the Government and Mrs. Southern.

INVESTMENT TRUST EXPERIENCES.

Ill-Fated Stocks Notably Absent from List.

London, May 14.
The Lake View Investment Trust, which publishes a full record of its investments and a table classifying them by location, character of undertaking, and type of security, shows a balance-sheet figure of \$2,156,000 for total investments "at or under cost." The market valuation of these on March 31 was only 4.12 per cent. below the balance-sheet figure, less the reserve account of \$250,000. In the report of a year ago it was merely stated that market values then exceeded in the aggregate the amount at which they stood in the balance-sheet (the same figure approximately as that mentioned above). Thus either a very substantial "hidden reserve" was present in the valuation a year ago or the company's investments have been subjected to remarkably small depreciation in the last year. Over one-quarter of the total investments are in British industrial stocks. Some of the more ill-fated investments are notably absent from the list. There is no Royal Mail Steam Packet and no Kruger and Toll, only a trifling holding of Swedish Match, and no Molasses. The other substantial investment in British paper is in banks, insurance, and investments, which are 6.4 per cent. of the total. Another 9 per cent. is held in Empire Industrials and 7 per cent. in United States Industrials. The railway paper held is exclusively South American and stands for 8 per cent. of the grand total. Another 5 per cent. is held in South American Government securities. Otherwise classified, the investments are 88 per cent. bonds, 25 per cent. preference shares, and 87 per cent. ordinary shares.

The investments of the Abbots Investment Trust are shown at \$272,000 at or under cost, but while a year ago the market valuation was three-quarters of that figure this year it is barely over one-half of it. This Trust publishes its full investments, but without a classification. The Central European and South American Investments are a large proportion of the total. But other than on the whole has been avoided, and the holdings are well diversified.

DON'T WASTE WATER.

"Lesson" of Japanese Invasion

Conjectures On Aftermath of the Shanghai War

Nationals Weep As Troops Depart

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Shanghai, June 1.

The last remaining troops of the Japanese Expeditionary Forces have shaken the dust of Shanghai off their feet. They have gone. They left yesterday, and with their going, Chinese as well as foreigners have cause to heave a sigh of intense relief.

The presence of the Japanese soldiery was at no time unaccompanied by the ever present danger of collisions not alone with the Chinese but also with the Municipal Police in the lawful execution of their duties, as the ugly Sinza Road incident so forcefully revealed. Full credit must be given to the Japanese authorities, in fairness and justice to the latter, for observing fidelity to pledged word. True to the announcement made by the Tokyo Government on May 12, to the effect that the land forces of the Island Empire would be completely withdrawn from the Shanghai area within the space of a month, all of the Army units have now sailed for home, with the departure of Lieutenant-General Uyeda and the remnants of the troops yesterday, considerably in advance of the expected time, to the surprise of Chinese, foreigners and, not least of all, the Japanese themselves.

Curiously enough, the distinguished 9th Division, which was the first Japanese military unit to land in Shanghai, was the last to go. Only bluejackets now remain in Shanghai to protect the interests of Japanese nationals, an exact reversion to the situation prevailing prior to that fateful night of January 28. A Rousing Farewell.

As Lieutenant-General Uyeda, his staff and other units embarked in transports for the homeland, they were recipients of a rousing farewell at the hands of a large body of their nationals who had gathered at the wharf side to do them honour. A naval band was in attendance to play "Auld Lang Syne" in approved style, the strains being wafted on the air simultaneously with the departure of the transport Liverpool Maru. Aboard the ship, the bugle sounded, and all the officers and men stood at attention and saluted the thousands of well-wishers on the pier. A thunderous shout of "Banzai" went up from the crowd on the wharf and was repeated thrice. The troops aboard the transport responded in lusty fashion.

Women Cry.
The eyes of some Japanese women were seen to dim and furtive tears welled up as little handkerchiefs were produced when they thought nobody was looking. Well might the women have cried, because Lieutenant-General Uyeda made a farewell oration of a nature that could not help tugging at the heart-strings. He spoke of the sorrow with which the Japanese troops had seen the body of their beloved Commander-in-Chief, General Baron Shirayama, precede them to their home; of the regret with which the troops were leaving the Japanese community in Shanghai; of their warm appreciation of the kindness and solicitude shown by the Japanese colony for the well-being of the troops during their sojourn on these shores; and finally the departing General assured the gathering that he and his men would never forget them in spirit, though they might be absent in body, significantly adding that they could always count on the "Mimble services" of the troops should the need ever arise.

This observation is interpreted in informed quarters to mean that although the exigencies of the situation have compelled the evacuation of the Japanese forces from Shanghai, they are not yet ready to give up their Shanghai base and that they will not return should a crisis arise of sufficient gravity to justify their coming back.

dramatic return to Manchuria and Japan. The writer of these notes has tried to canvass among a number of thoughtful members of the community, both Japanese and foreigners, for expressions of opinion relative to the precise benefits or disadvantages accruing to the Japanese people in this region of Asia by the "undeclared war" in Shanghai.

The opinions expressed are as plentiful as the proverbial autumn leaves in Vallambrosa. Some there are who hold that the short-lived campaign has done Japanese trade and commerce in China more harm than good and that the boycott, though not overtly conducted, as it used to be prior to January 28, is just as acute as ever, the activities of the boycott promoters being of the more insidious order and directed along subterranean channels. A leading Japanese merchant has ventured the opinion that it is a matter of grave doubt if the trade of Nippon in this country can ever survive this boring underground, done with a tenacity worthy of a better object.

This school of thought suggests that it would be as well frankly to abandon the pretence that the troops came here to "protect" the Japanese and not for considerations of bolstering up the prestige of the fighting forces in Japan, for political ends.

A "Lesson"
On the other hand, there are not a few "die-hard" who claim that the Japanese military expedition has been eminently successful, in the sense not of newly acquired territory in the Shanghai area but of having administered a "lesson" to the Chinese which it will take them a long time to forget and the moral effect of which is likely to be enduring. This contention may be true in more than one sense. The Chinese have proverbially long memories. Whether remembrance of the Chapel of the Holy Spirit in future years may be conducive to the promotion of Sino-Japanese trade is a moot point. At all hinges on the way the Chinese take the "lesson" to heart.

In the meantime, the Japanese troops have gone. That is so much to the good.



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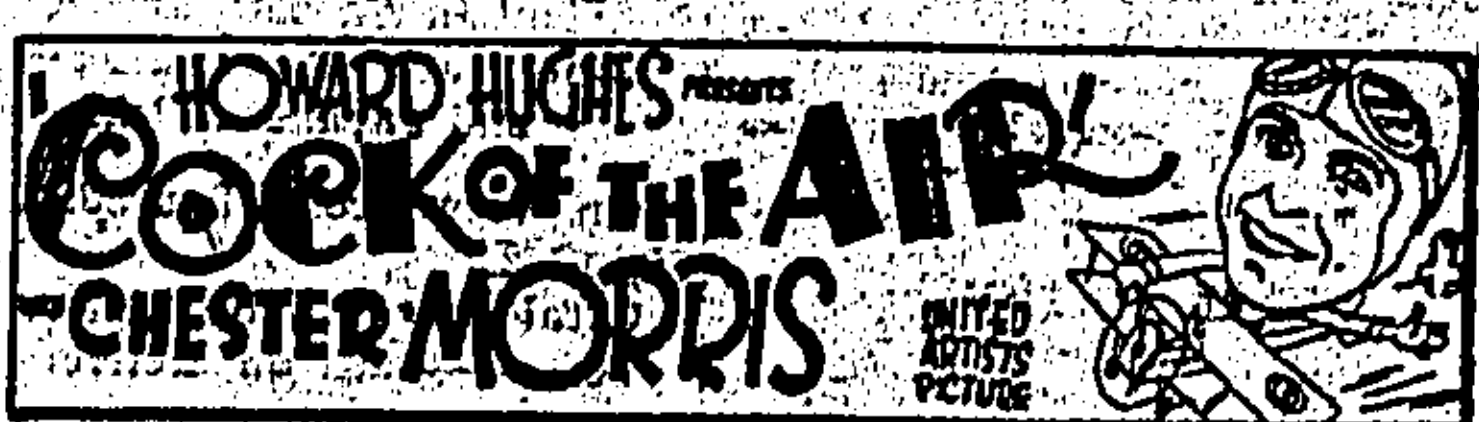
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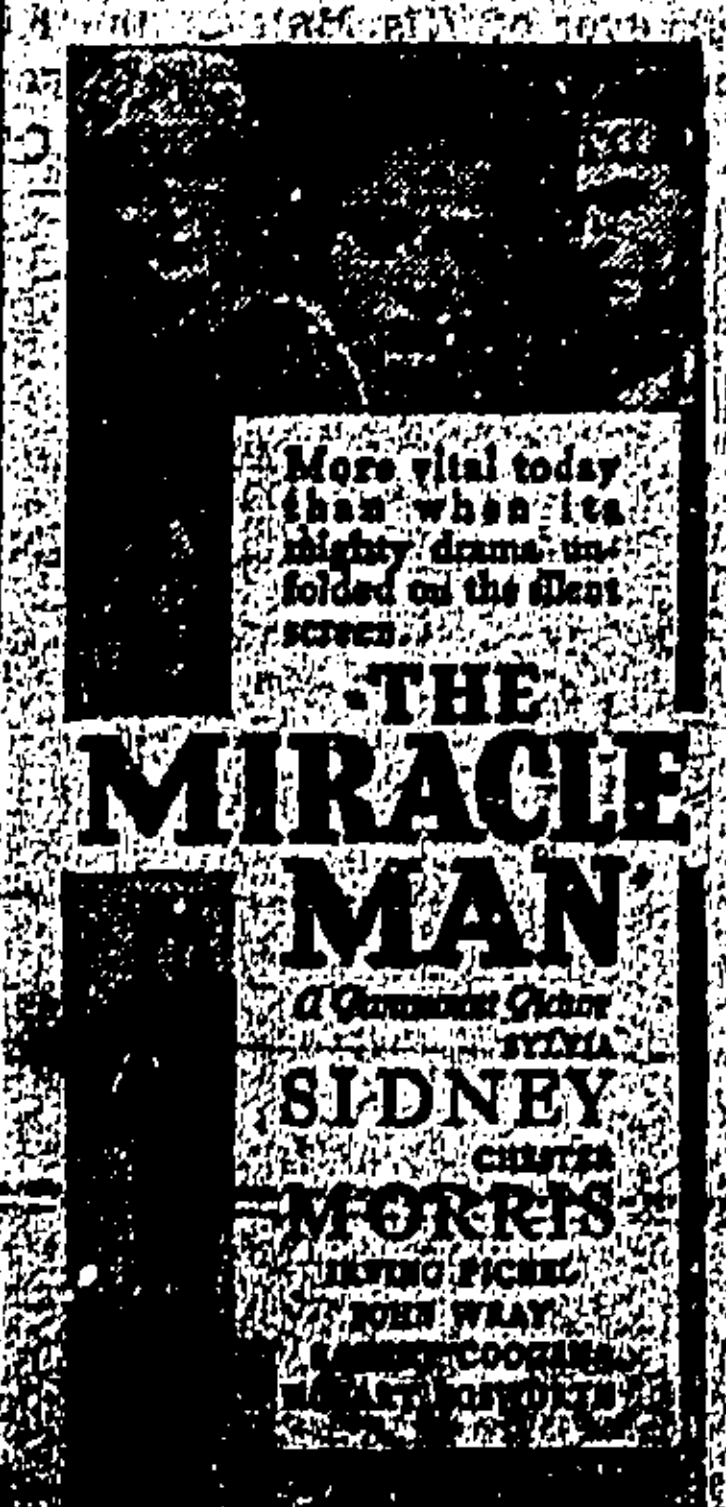
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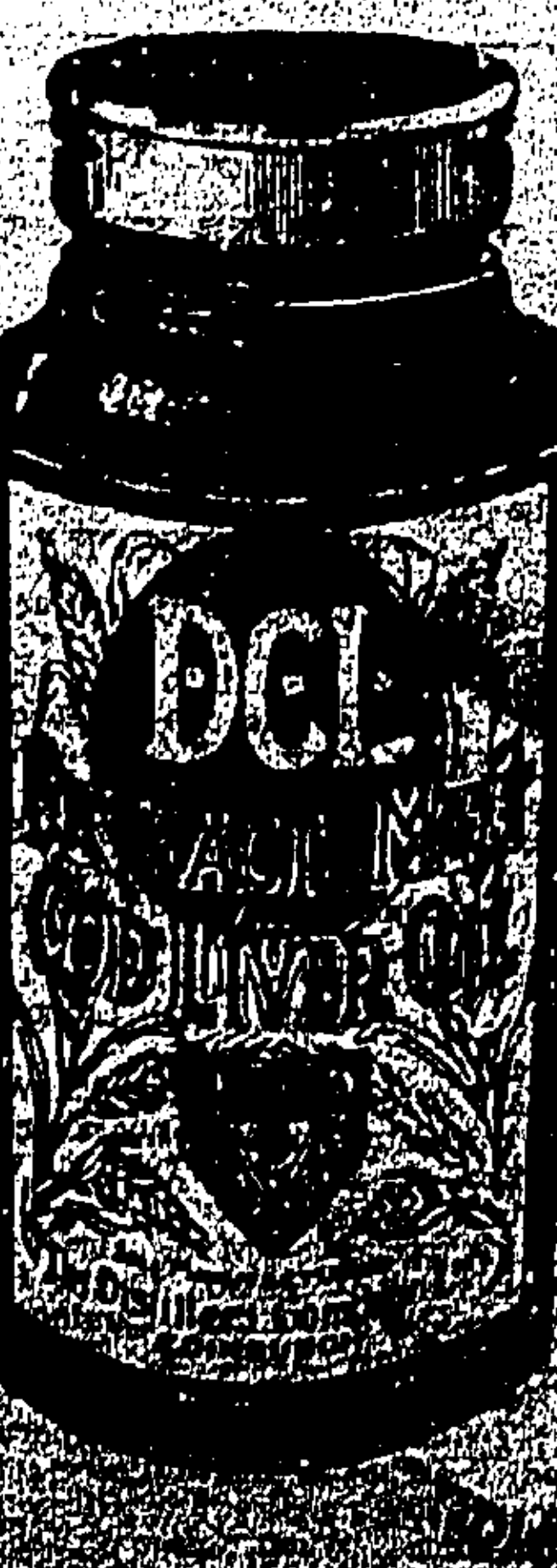
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Island	Feet
Victoria Peak	1822
Signal Station	1774
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Mountain Lodge	1728
The Byrle	1728
Peak Hotel	1808
Taipei Sanatorium	1000
St. David	877
Wong's Peak (Kowloon)	897
Mainland	Feet
Taiwan	5124
Kowloon Peak	1971

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

G. R.

NOTICE.

WATER SUPPLY.

Metered Services and Old Street Fountains.

COMMENCING ON SUNDAY, the 12th June at 2.30 p.m. a four hours' supply from the mains will be given throughout the Colony each day at the hours specified below:

- (a) Area between Robinson Road and Caine Road.
- (b) Macdonnell Road.
- (c) Mountain View and adjacent high points. 5.00 a.m.—7.00 a.m. 2.30 p.m.—4.30 p.m.
- Remainder of the Colony. 6.30 a.m.—8.30 a.m. 4.30 p.m.—6.30 p.m.

New Group Street Fountains.

A 12-hours' street fountain supply will be given from the new group street fountains daily from 6.30 a.m.—6.30 p.m. commencing on MONDAY, the 13th June.

HAROLD T. CREASY.

Water Authority.
Public Works Department,
Hong Kong, 11th June, 1932.

DISCOVERY OF THE LO LUNG JAR OF THE SUNG DYNASTY

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2nd floor.

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THE Undersigned have received instructions from Hon. Mr. H. T. Creasy to sell by Public Auction

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No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 17th June, 1932, will be subject to rent.

All claims against the steamer must be presented to the Underwriter on or before the 1st July, 1932, or they will not be recognised.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 18th June, 1932, at 10 a.m. by Messrs. Goddard & Douglas. To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations, consigned goods must be examined by the Customs Officer when damaged Goods are examined. No fire insurance has been effected. All claims will be considered on the 18th June, 1932, at 10 a.m. in the Godowns, 17th June, 1932.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

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PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on MONDAY, the 13th day of June, 1932, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of one lot of Crown Land at Cheung Sha Wan, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, commencing from 1st July, 1898, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the King, for one further term of 24 years less the last three days thereof.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Lots	Boundary Measurements	Area in Sq. Ft.	Annual Rental	Upset Price
1	As per plan plan, 2,445 sq. ft.	2,445	\$1,500	\$1,500

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1	As per plan plan, 6,000 sq. ft.	6,000	\$10,000	\$10,000

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1	As per plan plan, 12,000 sq. ft.	12,000	\$12,000	\$12,000

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GENERAL NOTICES.

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INWARD MAILS.

SUNDAY, JUNE 12.

Shanghai and Amoy Tjisadane
Shanghai and Amoy Tai Yuan
Europe via Negapatam (Papers only, London, May 12) Eumaeus

MONDAY, JUNE 13.

Japan La Plata Maru
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, May 20) President Coolidge
Manila Tatsuta Maru

TUESDAY, JUNE 14.

Calcutta and Straits Takada
Japan Talmia

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15.

Amoy and Swatow Cremer
Manila Empress of Russia
Europe via Suez (Letters & Papers, London, May 19, and Parcels, May 12) Rajputana
Shanghai Gange

THURSDAY, JUNE 16.

London (except London, May 6) Karmala
Australia and Manila Kamo Maru
Japan and Shanghai Taiyo Maru

FRIDAY, JUNE 17.

Japan and Shanghai Naldera
U.S.A., Canada, Japan & Shanghai (Seattle, May 28) President Taft

OUTWARD MAILS.

SATURDAY, JUNE 11.

Saigon Haldis 5 p.m.
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia Deucalion 5 p.m.
Manila President Garfield 5 p.m.

SUNDAY, JUNE 12.

Hoihow and Haiphong Com. Henri Riviere 9 a.m.
Samshui and Wuchow Tai Hing 9 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa Hozan Maru 9 a.m.
Bangkok via Swatow Kwangchow 9 a.m.

MONDAY, JUNE 13.

Swatow Hydrangea 3 p.m.
Amoy Luchow 3.30 p.m.

TUESDAY, JUNE 14.

Manila, Makassar and Sourabaya Tjisadane 9.30 a.m.
Saigon, Straits, Ceylon, E. & S. Africa and S. American Ports La Plata Maru 10.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow Haiching 1 p.m.
Manila President Coolidge 4.30 p.m.
Swatow Kwaisang 5 p.m.

Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Canada, C. and S. America and Europe via San Francisco Tatsuta Maru
(Due San Francisco, July 6 and Europe via Siberia.)
Registration June 14, 5 p.m.
Letters June 15, 8.30 a.m.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15.

Amoy Tai Yuan 8.30 p.m.
Foochow Kueichow 8.30 p.m.
Australia (except Places North of Brisbane) and New Zealand via Singapore and Brisbane Gange (to connect with the s.s. New Zealand at Singapore. Leaving Singapore on June 21.) (Due Brisbane, July 6.)
Registration June 15, 3.15 p.m.
Letters 4 p.m.

Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. & S. Africa, Egypt & Europe via Brindisi Gange (Due Brindisi, July 7.)
Registration June 15, 5 p.m.
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EXCHANGES.

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS.

On London—	Bank, wire	1/3 1/4
Bank, on demand	1/3 1/4	
Bank, 4 months' sight	1/3 1/4	
Credits, 4 months' sight	1/4	
Documentary, 4 months' sight	1/4 1/4	
On Paris—	On demand	58 1/2
Credits, 4 months' sight	62 1/2	
On Berlin—	On demand	Nom
On New York—	On demand	23 1/4
Credits, 60 days' sight	24 1/4	
On Bombay—	Wire	84 1/4
On Calcutta—	Wire	84 1/4
On Singapore—	On demand	54 1/4
On Manila—	On demand	46 1/4
On Shanghai—	On demand	7 1/2
Dollar	On demand	7 1/2
On Yokohama—	On demand	72 1/4
Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate)	1/3 1/4	
Silver (per oz.)	16 1/4	
Bar Silver in Hong Kong	Nom.	
Copper Cash	Nom.	
Copper Cents	1 1/2	
Rate of Native Interest	3 1/2	
Chinese Sub. Coin	29 1/4	
Hong Kong Sub. Coin	Far.	

HONG KONG STOCK EXCHANGE

Opening Daily Official Quotations, June 10, 1932.
Next Settlement Day, Tuesday, June 28, 1932.

STOCK	Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Nom.	Fin. year	Last dividend and when paid
Banks						
Hong Kong Bank	1510	97	Dec.			(Final 23rd 1931) Feb. 20, 32
Chartered Bank	11	11	Dec.			(Final 23rd 1931) Mar. 20, 32
Mercantile Bk., A.B.	17	17	Dec.			(Final 23rd 1931) Mar. 20, 32
Bank of Asia	115	115	Dec.			(Final 23rd 1931) Mar. 20, 32
Amer. O. Fin. Corp.	23	23	Dec.			
Ch. Fin. Cor. Ord. Tls.	6	6	Dec.			
Prof. Tls.	4.60					
Insurance						
Canton Ins.	1900		Dec.			(Final 23rd 1931) May 10, 32
Union Ins.	449	445	Dec.			(Final 23rd 1931) May 27, 32
China Underwriters	3.60		Dec.			
China Fire Ins.	600		Dec.			(Final 23rd 1931) May 27, 32
H. K. Fire Ins.	1195		Dec.			(Final 23rd 1931) Mar. 30, 32
International Assur. Tls.	4		Dec.			
Shipping						
Douglas	474		Dec.			Last dividend for 1931
H. K. Steamships	212		Dec.			Last dividend for 1931
Indo-China (Pref.)	45		Dec.			(1931 ex. 23rd 1931) June 10, 32
(Def.)	39		Dec.			Last dividend for 1931
Shells Bearer	32/6		Dec.			(1931 ex. 23rd 1931) July 6, 32
Union Waterboats	20		Dec.			50 cents for 1931
Mining						
Benguet	161		Dec.			First Int. 23rd 1931
Kaika Mining Ad. s/	23/6		June			(1931 ex. 23rd 1931) May 10, 32
Langkat (Single) Tls.	4		Oct.			T. 0.50 for year 31-10-32
S'hai Exploration Tls.	2.10		Dec.			
Loans	2		Dec.			
Rails						
Venezuela Gold Fields	564		Mar.			(Final 23rd 1931) June 8, 32
Benguet Explorations	31c					
Docks, Wharves, Godowns, &c.						
H. K. & W. Docks	144		Dec.			50 cents for 1931
South Ch. Motors (A)	10		Dec.			Last dividend for 1931
(B)	19		Dec.			
China Providents (old)	5.30		Dec.			(1931 ex. 23rd 1931) Mar. 24, 32
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In spite of "bad times" and the general shortage of spending money, the results of the first week of the Royal Academy's Summer show—eighty-two pictures sold at a total of nearly £6,000—are well up to the average.

This is the more remarkable in that artists have recently found themselves among the hardest hit victims of the general depression.

Oil pictures outnumber the water-colours in the work sold. By contrast with the pictures, only three pieces of sculpture have so far been purchased. This, however, is quite usual. It is rare for sculpture exhibits to be bought in any quantity early in the show, prospective purchasers preferring to inspect them at length, and it is in the last few weeks that most of the sculpture sales take place.

The highest price so far secured was the £1,500 for Mr. James Gunn's much commented on "Conversation Piece," depicting Mr. Hilaire Belloc, Mr. G. K. Chesterton, and Mr. Maurice Baring. This was, however, sold before the exhibition started. The best price since the start of the exhibition is the £630 for Mr. Arnesby Brown, R.A.'s, "The Beach," while another of the higher figures is £400, given for "The Sampler," by Mr. Campbell Taylor, R.A.

Preston's Purchases.
Preston Corporation, it is understood, has purchased three pictures—Mr. Alfred J. Munnings, R.A.'s "The Full River," for £200, Mr. Gunning King's "Hampshire Meads" for 42 guineas, and a water-colour, "Coats of Many Colours" (a study of a group of love-birds), by Winifred Austen, for £21. The works will be hung in the Preston Art Gallery.

According to Burlington House officials, the attendance has been well up to the average, which is surprising in view of the bleak weather.

A CENTURY'S HISTORY

Accountant-General of the Navy

The retirement on May 1 of Sir Conrad Naeff, C.B., C.B.E., from the post of Accountant-General of the Navy, and of Mr. Frank Storr from that of Deputy Accountant-General, was made the occasion for an important administrative change. The Department of the Accountant-General will be merged into that of the Secretary of the Admiralty, and the office of Accountant-General will be combined with that of Deputy Secretary of the Admiralty, at present held by Sir Vincent Baddeley. An officer with the title of Director of Navy Accounts, ranking as Assistant Secretary, will exercise the functions in regard to cash transactions affecting naval funds hitherto exercised by the Accountant-General.

EMPLOYMENT OF MINORS AT SEA

Boys Under 14 Cannot Accept Posts.

UNLESS WITH RELATIVE

Based on a League of Nations Convention an Ordinance is shortly to come before the Legislative Council to regulate the employment of young persons and children at sea.

It is explained that on July 9, 1920 a general conference of the International Labour Organization of the League of Nations adopted a Convention fixing 14 years as the minimum age for admission of children to employment at sea, except in school ships and training ships and in vessels upon which only members of the same family are employed, and requiring shipmasters to keep a register of all persons under 16 years of age.

Under Article 421 of the Treaty of Versailles it is necessary to apply the Convention to the Colony subject to such modifications as may be necessary to adapt the Convention to local conditions.

Amidst the provisions of the Ordinance are the following:

Local Exceptions.

Children under 14 years of age shall not be employed or work on vessels, other than vessels upon which only members of the same family are employed: Provided that nothing in this section shall affect the employment or work of such a child on any junk or sampan if the child is in the charge of a relative who is also a member of the crew of such junk or sampan and if such relative is in the opinion of the Harbour Master a fit and proper person to have charge of such child. Provided also that nothing in this section shall affect the employment or work of such a child on any school ship or training ship if such employment and work is approved and supervised by public authority.

The master of every vessel registered or licensed in the Colony shall keep a register, in a form supplied or approved by the Harbour Master, of all persons under the age of 16 years employed by him on board his vessel, or a list of them in the articles of agreement, and the dates of their births.

"Vessel" Defined.
For the purposes of this Ordinance the term "vessel" includes all ships and boats of any nature whatsoever, engaged in maritime navigation whether publicly or privately owned, except ships of war.

Any person who contravenes any provision of this Ordinance shall be liable, on summary conviction, to a fine not exceeding 250 dollars.

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May 11 to 17, 1932.

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	Time	Time
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Sun. 12	04 15 42	08 39 37
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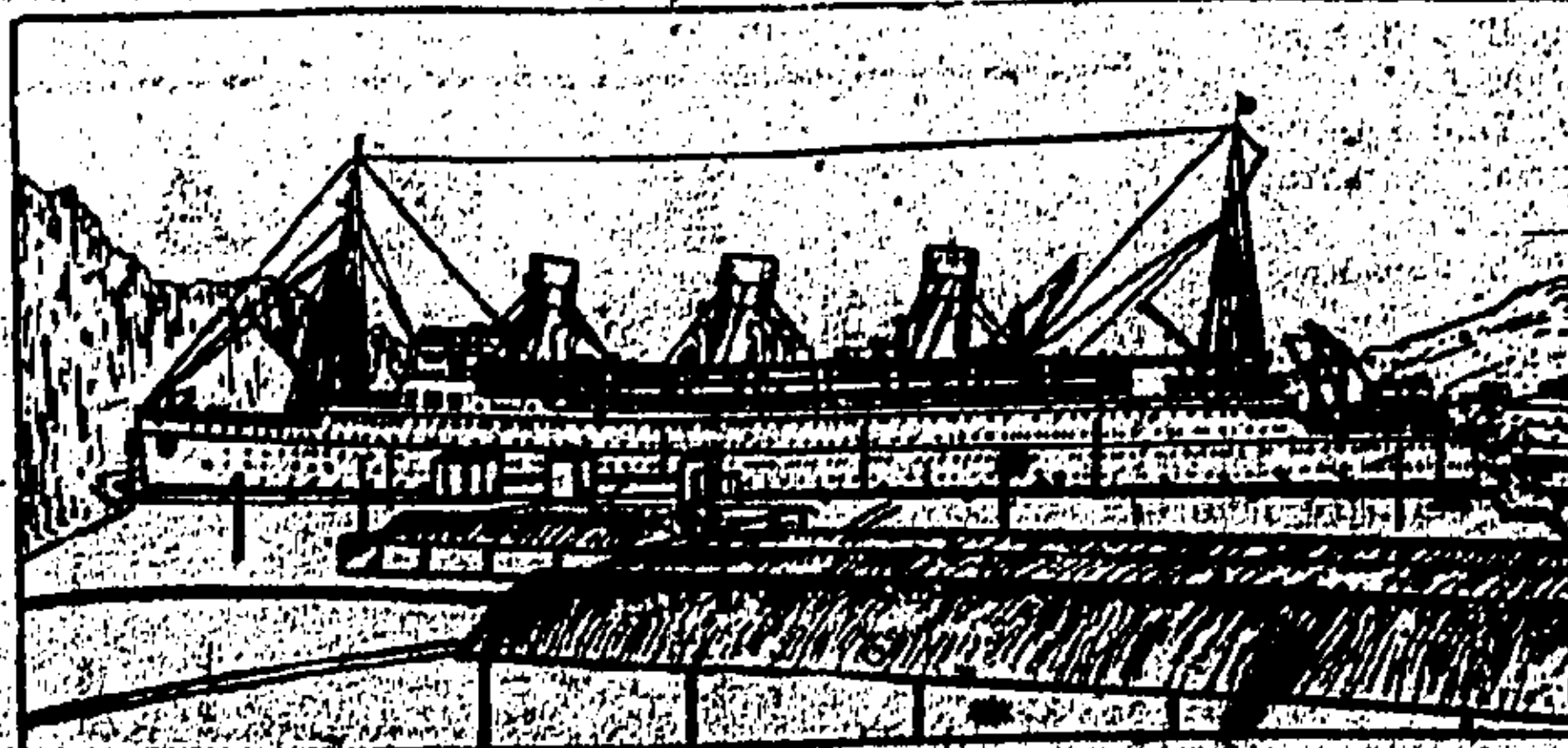
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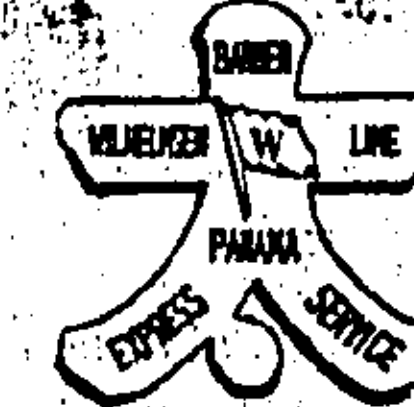
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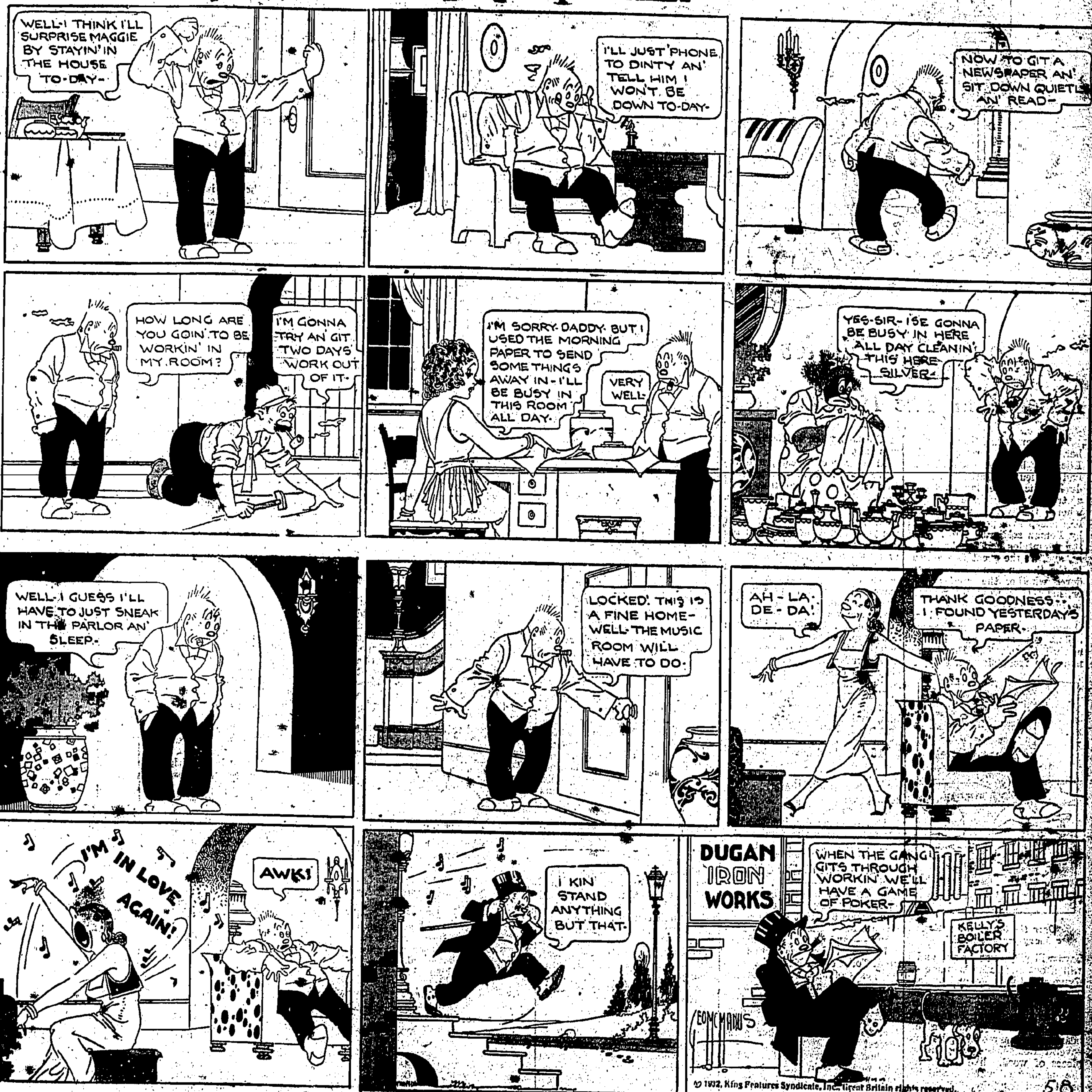
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"THE FLYING FOOL"
At first thought, it seems a somewhat difficult proposition to smuggle a full-grown man aboard an air-liner, but this is exactly what happens in "The Flying Fool," the B.I.P. production directed by Walter Summers, now on its final screenings at the Queen's.

"POSSESSED"
Joan Crawford, with the screen's most popular leading man, Clark Gable, will be seen to-morrow at the Queen's Theatre in "Possessed," highly dramatic story of a factory girl who, rebelling against an engagement of Arab poverty, ends up on Park Avenue to find that wealth and happiness do not necessarily go hand in hand.

"THE GAY CABALLERO"
In her newest production, Miss Crawford was directed by Clarence Brown.

"GREY HAIR AN ASSET."
Viscountess Gladstone on Her Visit to China.

London, May 20.
A large London audience was impressed to-day by a graphic account of the effects of the Japanese bombardment of Shanghai by Viscountess Gladstone in an address to the Overseas League. She said that at first she was surprised to find no signs of depression in Shanghai. It was a thriving city and everybody seemed cheerful. But, returning after a trip up the Yangtze, she discovered the place dead, nobody moving except soldiers and miserable refugees. "My visit to China had been so happy that these last days were a sad and terrible memory."

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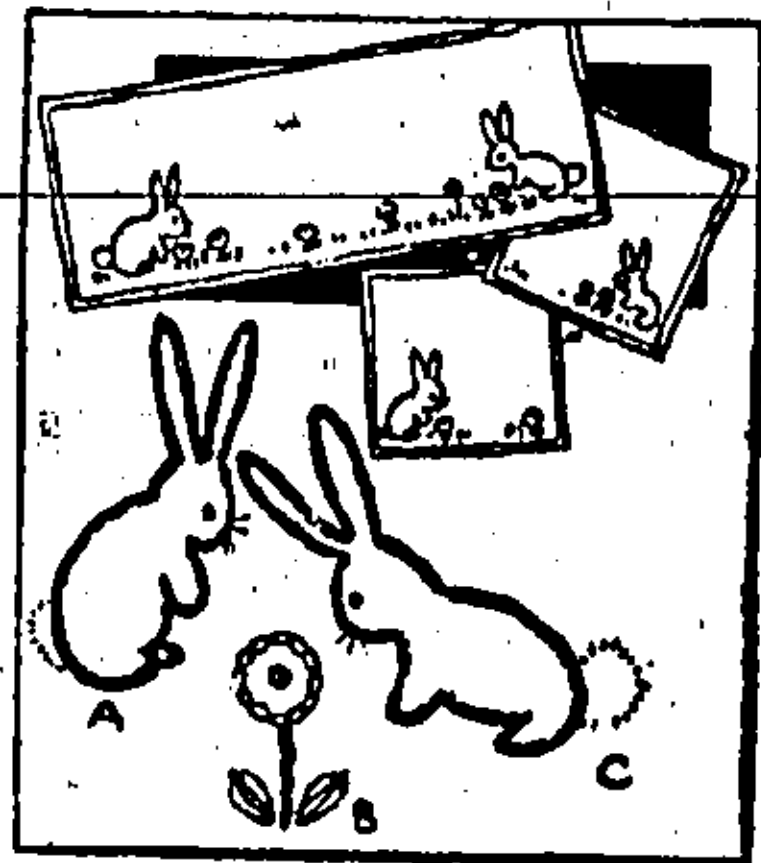


WENDY'S LITTLE NEEDLEWOMEN.

THE PRINCESS WHO GAVE HER HEART AWAY.

A Pretty Dressing-Table Set.

To make a pretty dressing-table set like the one sketched, you will need a piece of linen, fifteen inches wide and the length of your dressing-table top, for the runner; two pieces nine inches square for the little mats. Turn in narrow hems all round the three pieces, and sew them neatly. Then go over the hems with green wool back-stitching. Copy the Bunny-Boys on to paper, making them about five inches high from ear-tip to toe-tip; the shapes are so simple



A pretty dressing-table set which you can copy for yourself if you read Dress-maker's instructions.

Once upon a time there was a young princess who inherited a kingdom, and she was so anxious to govern well that she gave her heart away!

"If I have no heart," thought the Princess, "I shall never feel anything. I shall not be able to feel sorry, or afraid, or anything. I must give my heart away at once."

That night she crept to the edge of the wood, and asked a white owl if he would take her heart.

"No," replied the owl, "I've got my own, and two would give me too much trouble."

Then the princess asked a deer, but he was too timid; the fox was too cunning to do such a thing; the bear too lazy. But at last a wild boar promised to keep the princess's heart. Then the princess said:

"Heart, my heart, trouble me no more."

Heart, my heart, flee while I count four.

Heart, my heart, live in the wild boar."

She said this three times, and her heart vanished. The wild boar trotted into the forest, and the princess went home. She thought she felt a little strange, but it was several days before she realised that she felt nothing at all; she didn't care what happened to her country, and she found that everybody was beginning to dislike her.

"She used to have such a kind heart," she heard her prime minister saying, "but now she is so cold and so hard, and soon nobody will love her."

Then the princess confessed what she had done, and the prime minister sent hunters to find the wild boar, but it had disappeared.

"I do want my heart back; I am so cold without it," said the princess. "I will marry the man who brings me the wild boar."

For months people hunted for the wild boar, while the princess became colder and colder, and her people more and more anxious. Then a prince came to the palace with the poor wild boar looking very distressed.

"Take your heart back," said the wild boar, "it's much too tender for me. Why I allowed the prince to catch me without saying a word!"

So they were all happy once more. The princess married the prince, the wild boar went hunting, and the people rejoiced because their ruler was so good.

(Continued from previous Column.) cut the Bunny-Boys out of scraps of linen, and apply them on to the runner and mats. Pale grey bunnies would look fine on a light blue background; so would white ones on rose-colour.

Wendy's Dressmaker.

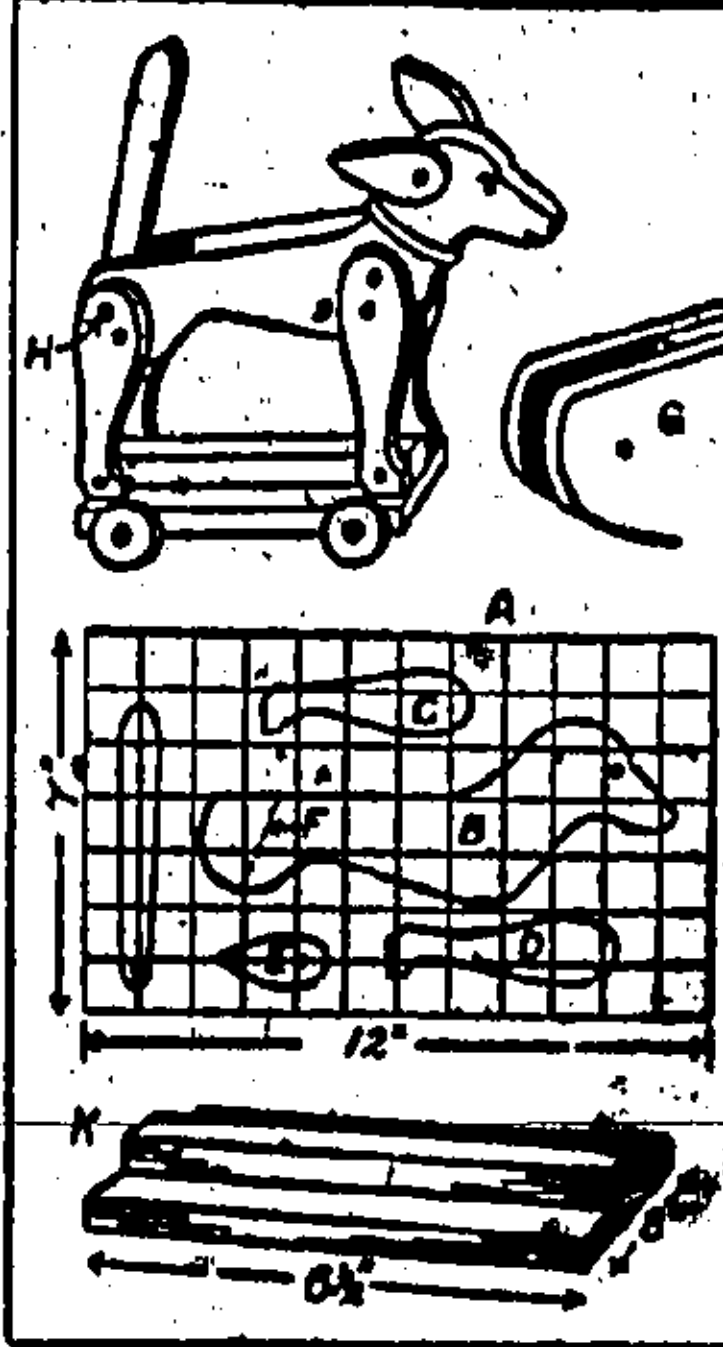
THE TINKITES' TOYSHOP.

How To Make A Toy Dog.

Here is an amusing toy which you can make for your small brother. Most of the parts can be cut out of two pieces of fretwood measuring twelve inches by seven inches, and thicker wood can be used for the base.

Take a piece of fretwood and mark out one side in one-inch squares, as shown in diagram A, to help you to outline the various parts, which can then be cut out with a fretsaw.

The body of the dog is made up of three parts, so cut two more parts B from the other piece of wood, using the part



A wooden dog for Small brother. Carpenter explains how it is made.

already cut out as a guide. One of these parts must have the end sawn off on the dotted line F.

From the same piece of fretwood cut another back leg C, and another front leg D, using these already cut as guides. Do the same with the ear E.

Glue the three parts B together, with the short one in the centre to form a slot for the tail as shown in diagram G. For extra fixing, drive in three or four wire brads from each side.

Fix the legs to the body with small brass screws, except the one marked H, which should be five-eighths of an inch long, so that it passes through the tail to form a pivot. The tail can then be placed at any angle. The ears, too, should be screwed on so that they can be moved any way.

For the base, cut a piece of three-eighths-inch wood to the size given in diagram K. Along the centre of one side glue and nail a strip of wood as wide as the body of the dog and about half an inch thick.

The feet of the dog are screwed to either side of this strip, as shown in the first diagram. The wheels are small iron or wooden ones, about one and a quarter inches in diameter, held in place with screws driven into the sides of the base.

To give the toy dog a smart appearance, you must paint it. Black and white would be suitable, or black and tan, whichever you fancy. For the eyes, make shallow holes and glue in small glass beads; and round the neck fix a narrow strip of red leather to suggest a collar.

The Hut Carpenter.

TINK'S CROSS-WORD PUZZLE.

Here is the solution to last week's puzzle:-

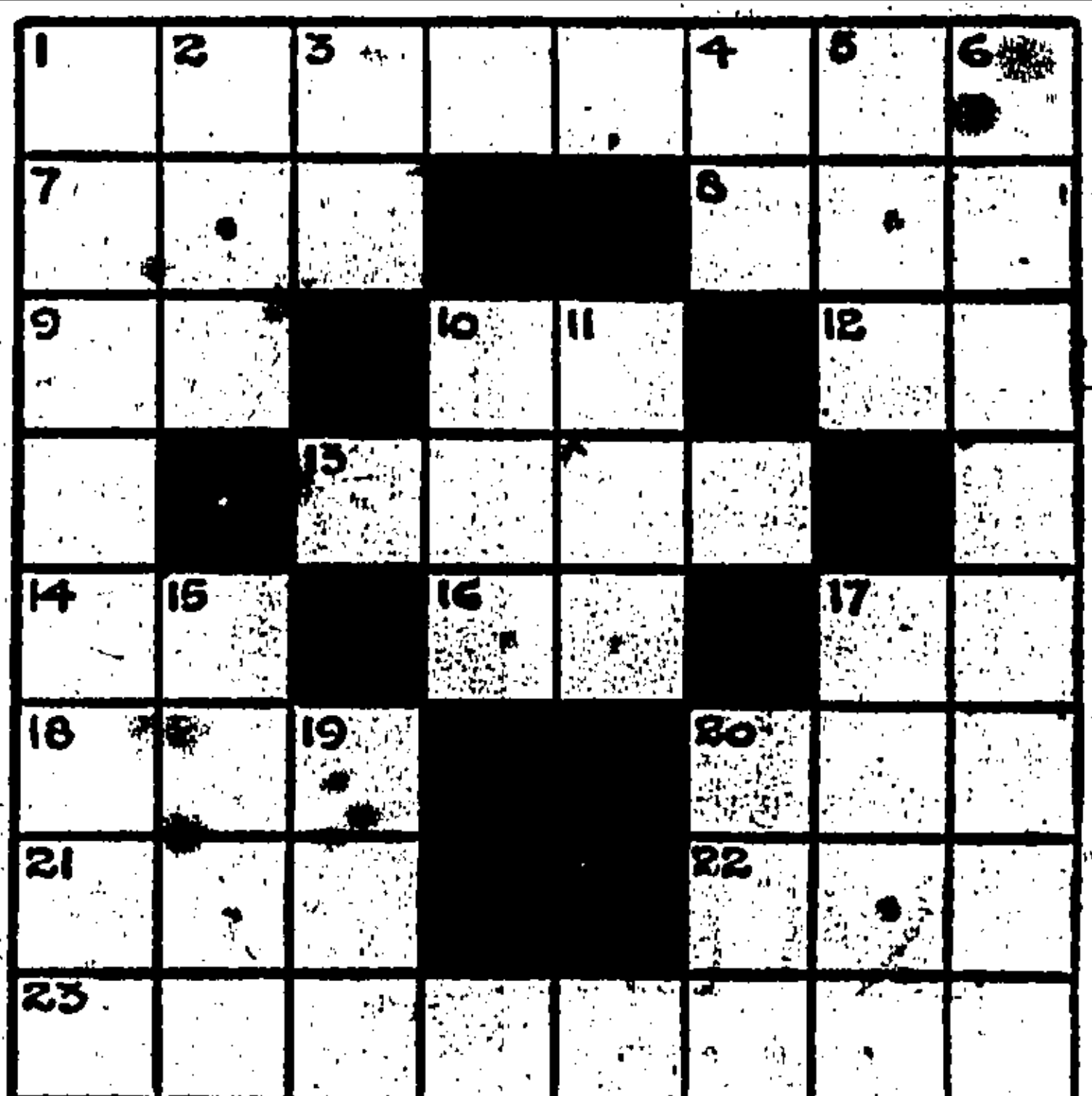
Across.

1. Remain (Stay).
4. Health resort (Spa).
7. Upon (On).
8. Untruths (Lies).
9. As far as (To).
10. What you sing (Songs).
11. Worn on the finger (Ring).
12. A wasp will do this (Sting).
14. For of address (Mr.).
15. Work to be done (Task).
16. Obtain (Get).
17. Animal of the deer family (Elk).
18. Kind of cake (Bun).
19. Comes down (Descends).

Down.

2. Also (Too).
3. One (An).
4. You do this with 10 across (Sing).
5. Used to fasten clothes on the line (Peg).
6. Declare (Assert).
8. Not short (Long).
9. Tried the flavour of (Tasted).
10. What the sun will do at night (Sink).
11. Hazards (Risks).
13. Story (Tale).
14. Repair (Mend).
16. Weapon (Gun).
18. To live (Be).

Everyone got that right? Good! Then we'll try another.



Clues:-

- Across.
1. Nice in salads.
 7. Regret.
 8. Tap.
 9. Conjunction.
 10. Negation.
 12. Thank you!
 13. Travelling on horseback.
 14. To be sure.
 16. You are I.
 17. Short for "doctor."
 18. Boy.
 20. Also.
 21. Before.
 22. In what way.
 23. Those who sleep.

Down.

1. Worries.
2. Belonging to us.
3. Pronoun.
4. Same as 9 across.
5. Take food.
6. Birds.
10. At once.
11. Poem.
15. Nobleman.
17. You enter a room by it.
19. Scottish river.
20. Adjective.

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"Over the top of the posts a heavy bar was fixed."

boys will play upon harps, and I will shout my father's name—Cyngen the Raven-bearded! Then not even the Caesar will be able to stand against us."

All day and night Eliseg hid in the tree, eating only a few beans. In the morning, he saw several Romans carrying heavy pieces of wood, like stakes for the burning of witches, and his heart beat fearfully. But soon he began to frown, because he could not imagine why they were setting up a kind of gateway without a door. Two posts were driven into the ground between two rocks, and over the top of these a heavy bar was fixed. When this was ready, a Roman general went to the prisoners and addressed them in very bad Welsh, but Eliseg nearly fell off

of the tree when he heard what was said.

In honour of Caesar, and because they had fought bravely, they were all to go free after they had passed under the yoke. The men of the mountains shook their heads, not knowing what the yoke might mean. Then the general explained that they were to march on by one under the wooden bar and, as they passed beneath the yoke, they would leave their glory, power, and strength behind them, and become free yet conquered men.

There was terrible walling in the camp, and it was a long time before the prisoners could be driven under the yoke, but at last they raced beneath it and away to their mountains.

That evening Eliseg came home, dragging three posts after him, and he found his kinsmen depressed and covered with shame.

"This is the Roman yoke," explained Eliseg, "I took it when they marched on. Surely if you passed beneath it the other way round, you will regain your honour and strength."

This the men did, but the terror and shame of the Roman yoke spread throughout the land.

VERY BIG BOYS AND GIRLS.

There is a schoolboy in Canada who is only 14 years of age, but who stands 6½ feet in his socks, has a 52-inch chest, weighs 15½ stone—and is still growing!

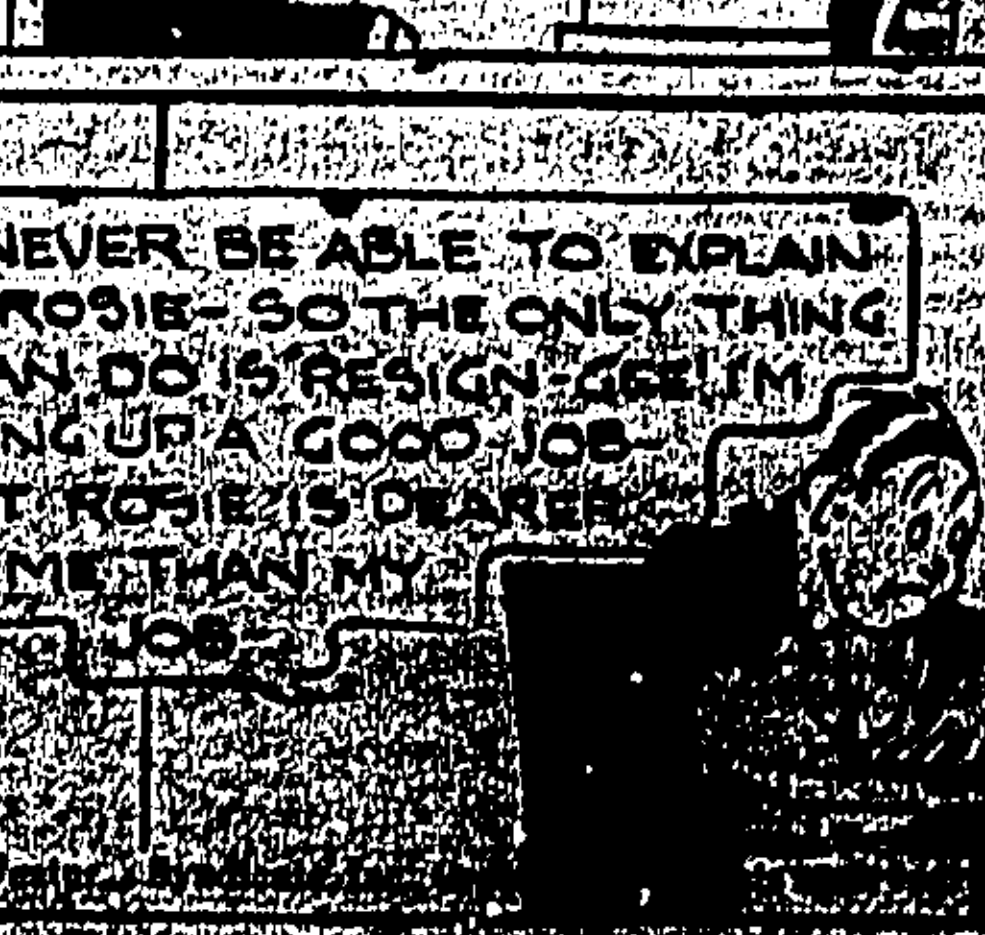
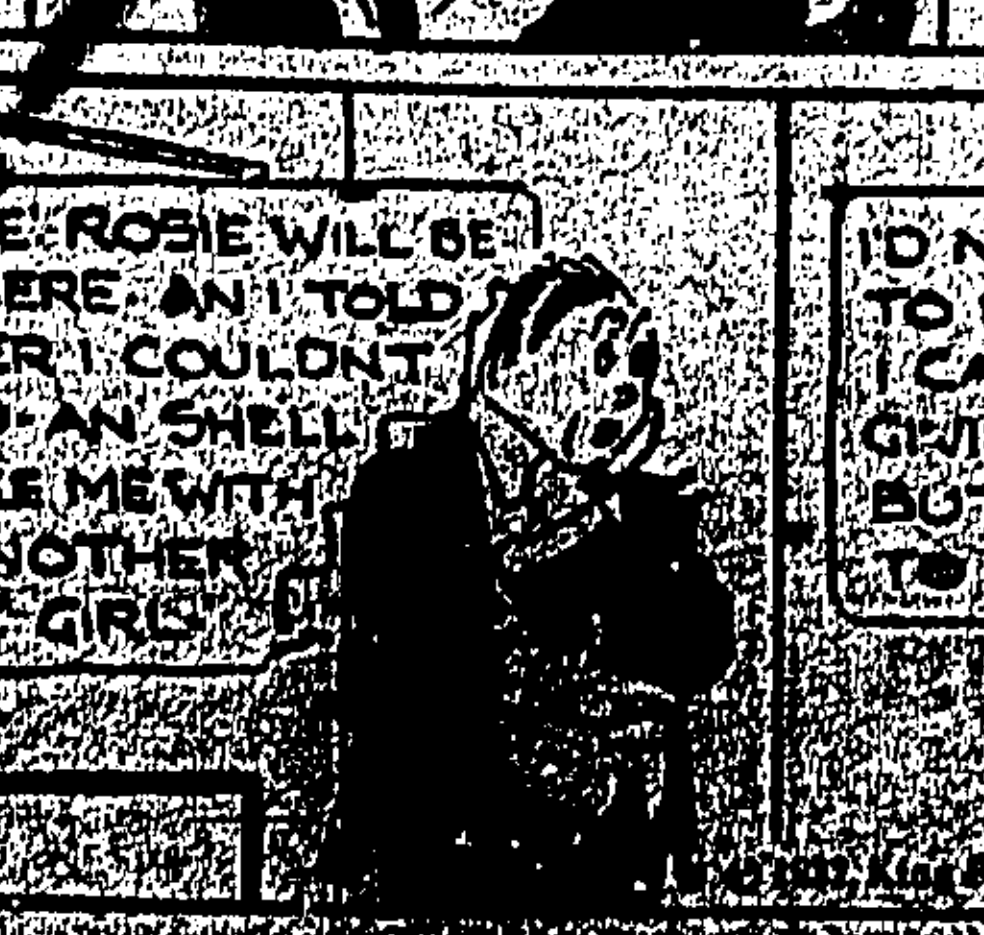
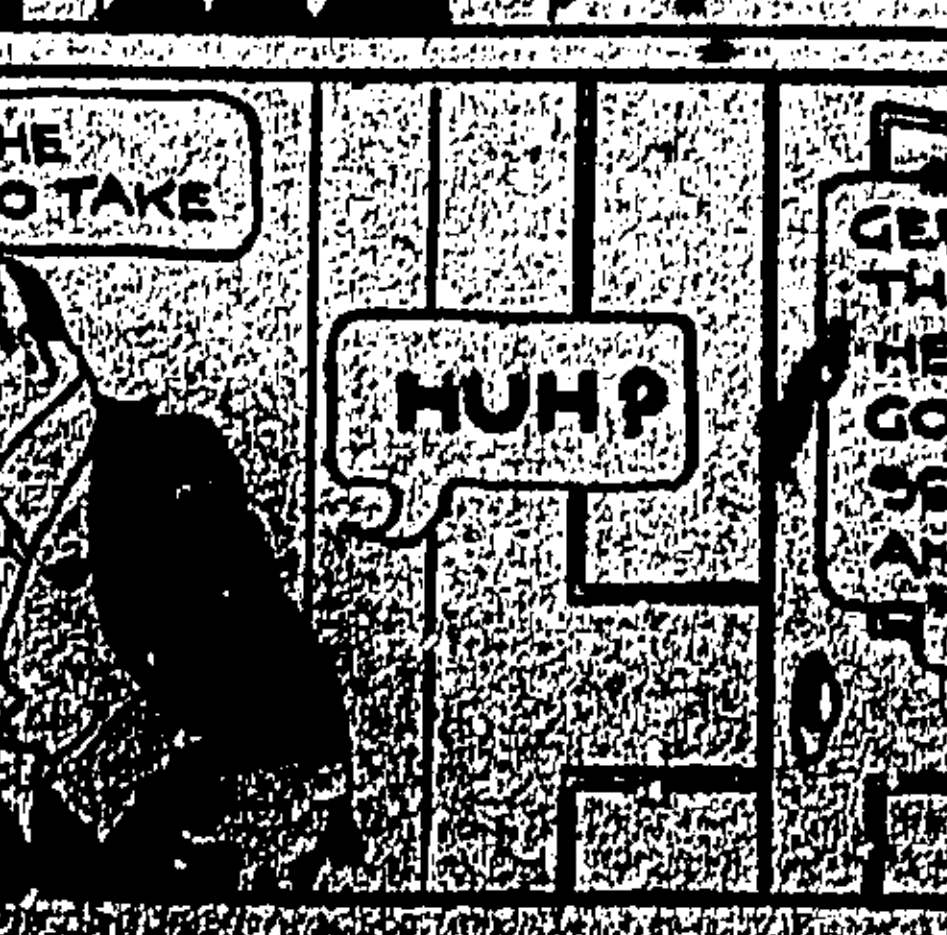
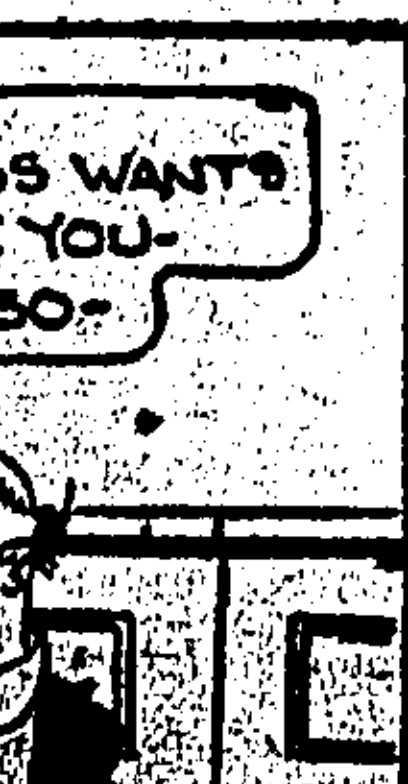
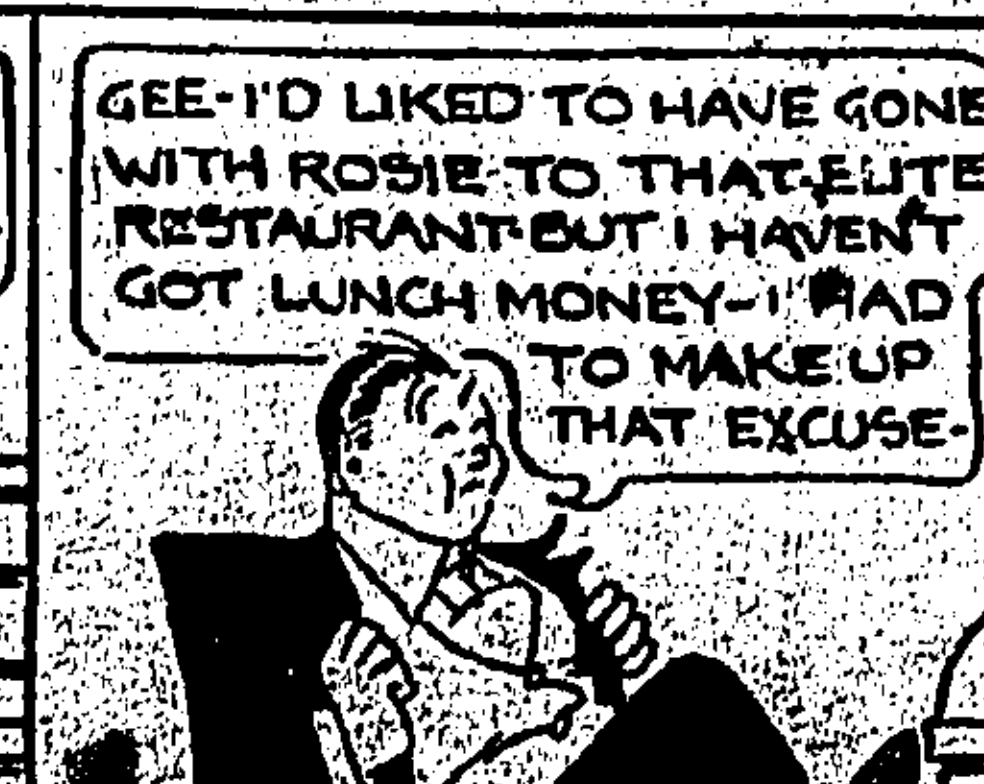
It is on record that when the great Toller of St. Neots was only ten years of age, he was over 5 feet in height and when he stopped growing he was 8½ feet high! Toller's sisters followed their brother's lead for they too became giants, or rather giantesses!

Then there was Robert Hales, who was born in 1820. He was only 7½ feet in height when he stopped growing, but he made up for it by being 62 inches round the chest, a yard across the shoulders, and, in his prime, he scaled 83 stone. Just think of that! Robert was one of nine children, and all his brothers and sisters were over 6½ feet

high. The biggest married couple in the world were Mr. and Mrs. Bates who, together measured nearly 16 feet; Mr. Bates being just over eight feet and his wife just under. When attending school, young Bates took a 28-inch collar and fifteen in boots. As for his "little" brother, he was 6 feet 7 inches from the crown of his head to the soles of his feet. SOME little brother, eh?

As an alternative, you could (Continued in Next Column.)

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CHANCELLOR'S OPTIMISM.

Confidence in Great Britain.

THIRD READING OF FINANCE BILL.

London, Yesterday.
The House of Commons to-day passed the third reading of the Finance Bill, by 409 votes to 34, after the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, had wound up the debate.
Mr. Chamberlain said he saw no reason to expect, at the present time, any appreciable falling short in the revenue yield estimated in the budget. He declared that confidence in the future of Great Britain has been restored throughout the world, since the advent of the National Government. He was hopeful of results from the Lausanne Conference.
The House of Lords passed the first reading of the Bill.

Imports Duties Changed.

London, Yesterday.
Additions have been made to the free list of goods exempted from the 10 per cent. *ad valorem* of the recently imposed export duties.

The list includes: unground crude emery, mercury, argol and other crude tartrates, gall nuts and kelp.
An additional duty of 23 1/3 per cent, making a total of 33 1/3 per cent, has been temporarily imposed on semi-finished iron and steel products.

The original imports scheme will be varied as from June 14 by the inclusion and exclusion of certain classifications, a notable inclusion being pig iron (except charcoal smelted). Owing to the recent steep fall in quotations for continental products, the home products has been gravely menaced.—Reuter.

NON-AGGRESSION PACTS IN FAR EAST.

Nanking Reports China Willing to Sign.

Nanking, Yesterday.

A Government spokesman to-day announced that China, prompted by a desire to promote world peace in the spirit of the Kellogg Pact, was prepared to open negotiations with the Soviet for the conclusion of the treaty for mutual non-aggression, the signing of which will mean the automatic resumption of Sino-Russian diplomatic relations.

China was also ready to conclude a similar treaty with other Powers, including Japan, he said.—Reuter.

Nomura Returning To-day.

Shanghai, Yesterday.
The Naval Chapter of the Shanghai "incident" will end to-morrow, when Vice-Admiral Nomura, Commander-in-Chief of the Japanese Naval Forces in Shanghai, and Mr. Shiozawa will sail aboard the flagship Izumo for Japan, where they will be welcomed as conquering heroes.—Reuter.

ANGLO-IRISH DEADLOCK.

Impossible to Reach Agreement.

MR. DE VALERA'S VISIT FAILS.

London, Yesterday.
"It has been found impossible to reach agreement," was the disconcerting official announcement at the conclusion of the Anglo-Irish negotiations, presided over by Mr. MacDonald. Mr. de Valera has returned to Dublin.—Reuter.

Rousing Welcome at Euston.

London, Yesterday.
The Irish population of London was fully represented at Euston station early this morning, to give a rousing welcome to Mr. Eamon de Valera, Prime Minister of the Irish Free State. Mr. Thomas headed the official deputation of welcome, and entered the waiting motor car with the utmost difficulty, owing to the mobbing of the crowds.
Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, Prime Minister, is conducting the negotiations with Mr. de Valera. They lasted 90 minutes, and will be resumed this afternoon.—Reuter.

PROHIBITION REPEAL.

Republicans to Force Issue.

Washington, Yesterday.

President Hoover's partial surrender on the Prohibition issue—the official denial is not regarded as having any meaning—has encouraged the Republican leaders to press for an even more drastic tackling of the problem.

There are rumours of a proposed attempt at the G.O.P. Convention in Chicago, next week, to stampede the Republicans into a straight resolution for the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment.
The Wet Brigade threatens to stage demonstrations in Chicago on the eve of the Convention.

EXPERTS TO CONSIDER SOCIAL REFORM.

Sterilisation of Detectives.

London, Yesterday.

The sterilisation of mental defectives is to become the subject of an official enquiry by a Committee of eminent experts, appointed by the Government.

The Committee is to include Mr. Laurence Brock, Chairman of the Board of Control, Dr. Wilfred Trotter, honorary surgeon to the King and a member of the Medical Research Council, Dr. Ronald Fisher, Vice-President of the Eugenics Society and who has spent much time in experiments on heredity, and Miss Ruth Darwin, a grand-daughter of the great evolutionist.

The terms of reference will be, *inter alia*, to consider the value of sterilisation, having regard to the physical, psychological and social effects.—Reuter.

THE KING'S WOMEN SECRETARIES.

Compensation for Hard Work.

NEVER TALK ABOUT THEIR SECRETS.

Six women who arrive at Buckingham Palace at nine o'clock every weekday morning know more of the secrets of politics and diplomacy than any other women in Britain.

They never talk about their secrets, not even to each other.

They are the secretaries to the King's advisers and the high officials of the Court.

One woman comes every morning across the Park from Piccadilly, one from a women's club in Buckingham Palace-road, and another from Victoria Station.

They type documents that begin with words such as:—
"Secret and confidential: For Cabinet use only."

"Personal and private: For the use of the Prime Minister only."

Every morning at nine they settle down to their desks, in the little offices of the Palace, cheerful with white paint and scarlet carpets.

Night Work.

The business of the day begins with the first ring of a bell summoning one of them to Sir Clive Wigram, the King's secretary. Seven or eight at night often find them still busy, acknowledging some important Government despatch that has just come in by King's Messenger, or turning some message into code.

They work hard, these Women who serve the King. In the dark days of his illness, when a common bond of anxiety united every one at Court, they stayed on, night after night, till midnight and after, waiting sometimes with dread in their hearts for the doctors to send down the next bulletin.

They work hard, but there are compensations. Wherever the Court goes, they go too, travelling with the King and Queen in the royal train, to Sandringham, Balmoral, Windsor or Cowes, living in the Castle, with the freedom of the lovely grounds at Sandringham, or the Great Park at Windsor.

COMPENSATION OF FIVE MILLION YEN.

To Japanese Sufferers in Shanghai Hostilities.

Tokyo, Yesterday.

The Lower House has passed a bill providing for the distribution of five million yen to Shanghai Japanese residents, whose property was destroyed during the hostilities.

Tariff Revision.

Tokyo, Yesterday.

The Lower House to-day passed the Tariff Revision Bill, which was one of the first measures introduced by the new Cabinet.—Reuter.

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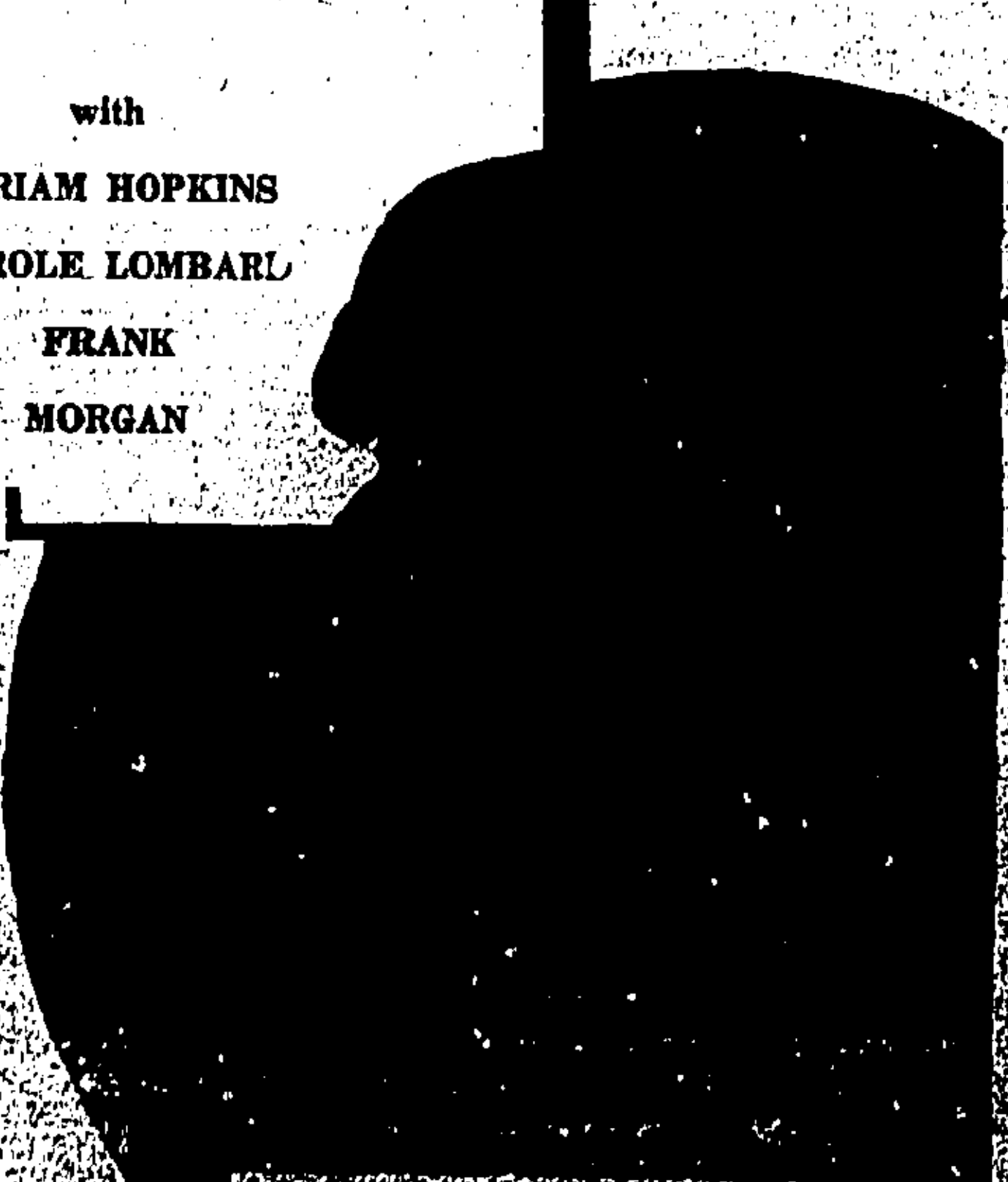
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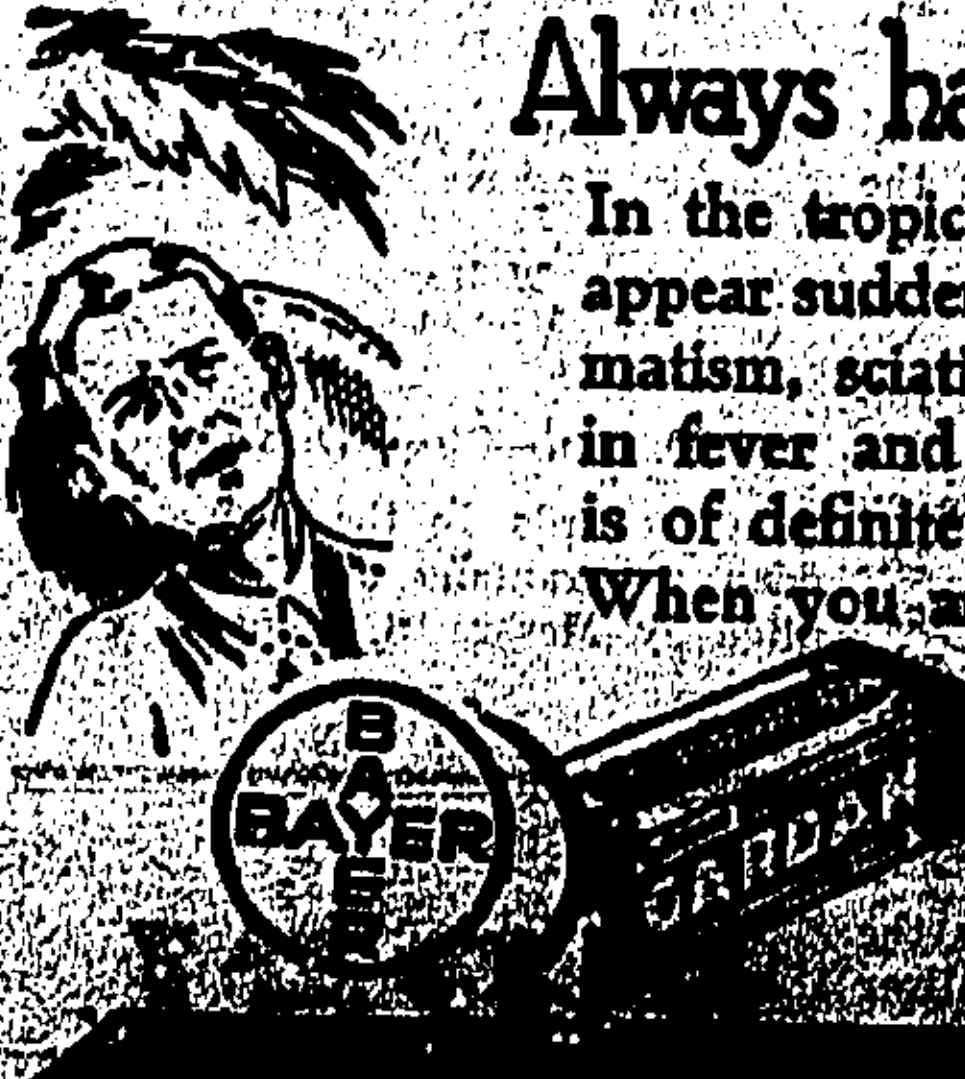
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